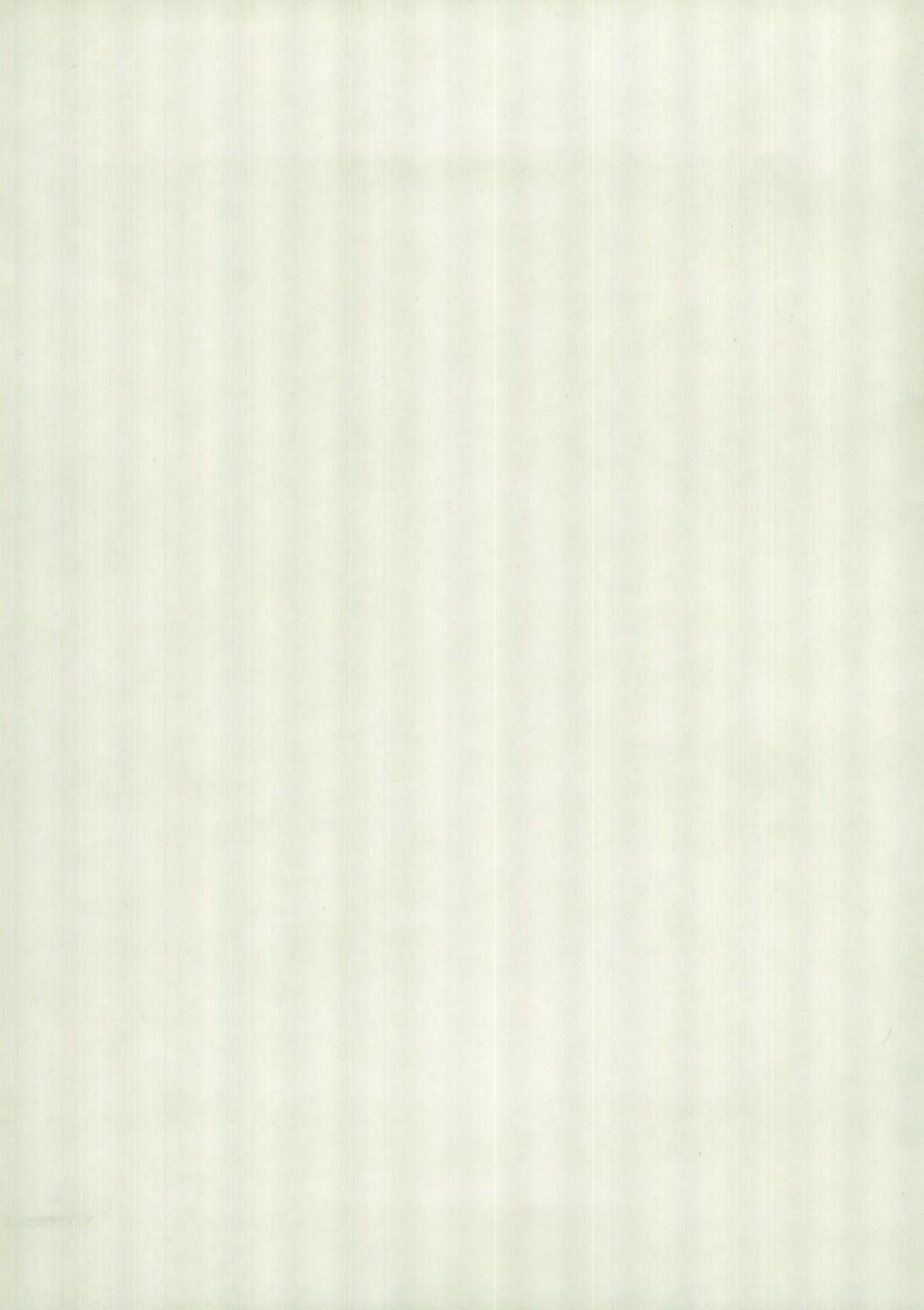


TROJAN

GORDON J. NEYENS



LAUREL FIRE DEPARTMENT





We the class of 1985 dedicate the Trojan Annual to the Laurel Volunteer Fire Department.

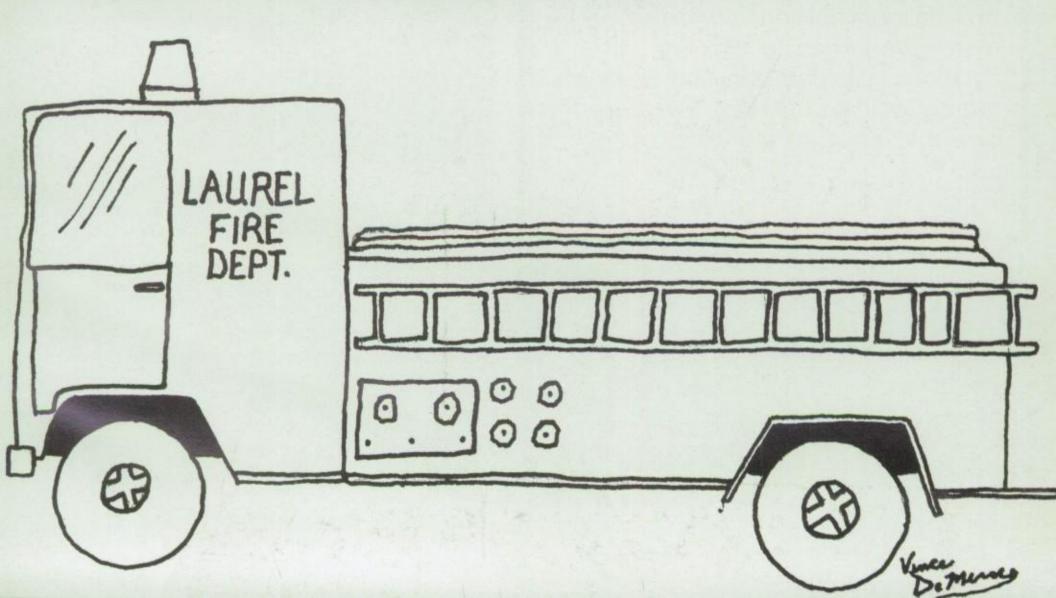
This group of well trained volunteers spend every Monday night at the fire hall either learning some new skills or discussing business.

For every emergency call two volunteers are on duty. This group of people has continually been a help in the Laurel community and surrounding areas.

The community and Meridian High School are proud of these dedicated volunteers.

Picture # 1: Aide Crew: L to R; Terry Snow, Julies Johnson, Kate Storms, Darryl Koning, Roger Hawley.

Picture # 2: Laurel Volunteers: Top Row, L to R; Gary Love, Kent Bunker, Dixon Stremler, Dale Wasel, Guy Stauffer. Middle Row, L to R: Bruce Baller, Paul Tillman, Terry Snow, Ed (Moose) Garman, Julie Johnson, Robert Kratzig Jr. Kneeling, L to R; Dave Baller, Kate Storms, Daryl Koning.







ON OUR OWN

Having made it through '84 we had an idea of what was to come. 337 students came to Meridian on September 4 knowing that any problem which might arise could be solved. When the construction uprooted everyone and threw them in the old building, when we realized that balloon deliveries were to be no more. We began to look for solutions. We had past the point of merely going to school. We were now making it on our own.







SPIRIT, INVOLVEMENT, AND COMMI-













STUDENT LIFE

HEY! Wouldn't you like to be a student council officer? It's simple - all you have to do is; organize a campaign party, get a campaign manager, organize a poster party, put posters at select locations, make buttons, make flyers, write a speech, rehearse it, deliver it to the voters, and pray. WOW! After all that all you can do is hope that you won ... Or, you could be a member; all you have to do for that is prepare a speech with less than 3 minutes notice and then deliver it. Simple Huh? Actually student council can be work but it is fun and can benefit you in the long run. So lets run for office!

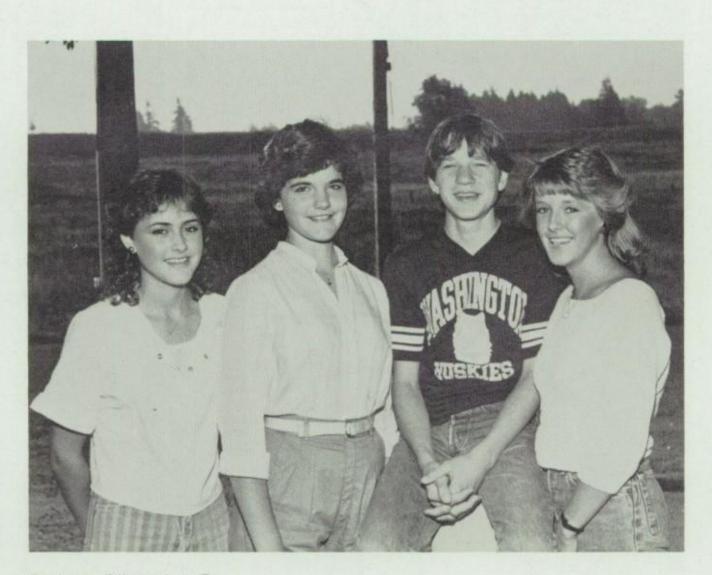


ASB Officers: L to R: Lisa Garman, Nora De La Garza, Christy Littlefield, Mark Adcock



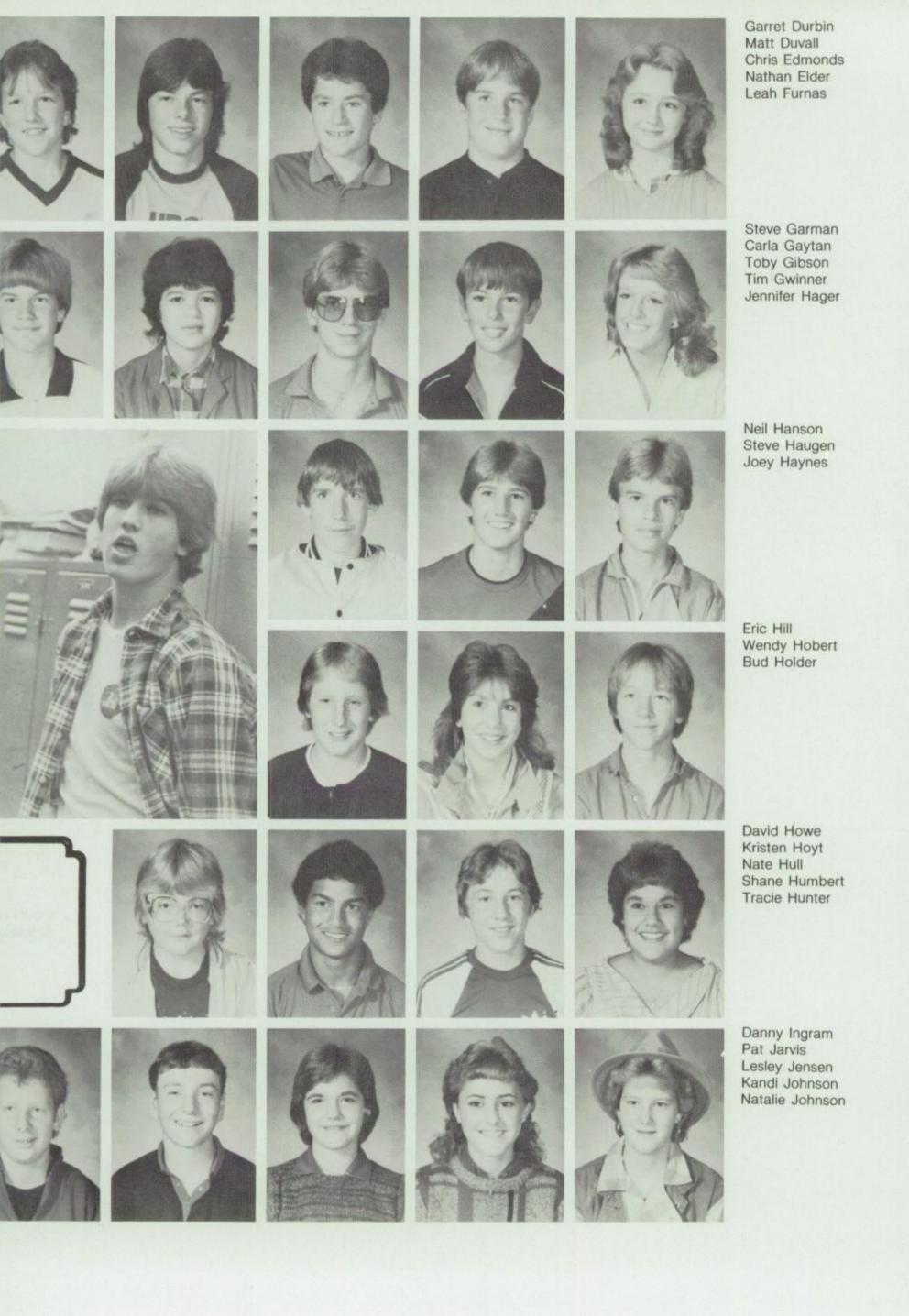
Student Council: Top L to R: Bobby Olivarez, Ginny Harrison, Carma Byle, Greg Lindsey, Cami Muenscher, Christy Carpenter, Stephanie Johnson, Ross Assink. Bottom Row L to R: Gary Mydland, Ben Duvall, Gary Manthey, Gary Horgan, Laura Montgomery, Marilu Cantu, Chrissy Case, Sarah Stendal

FRESHMEN

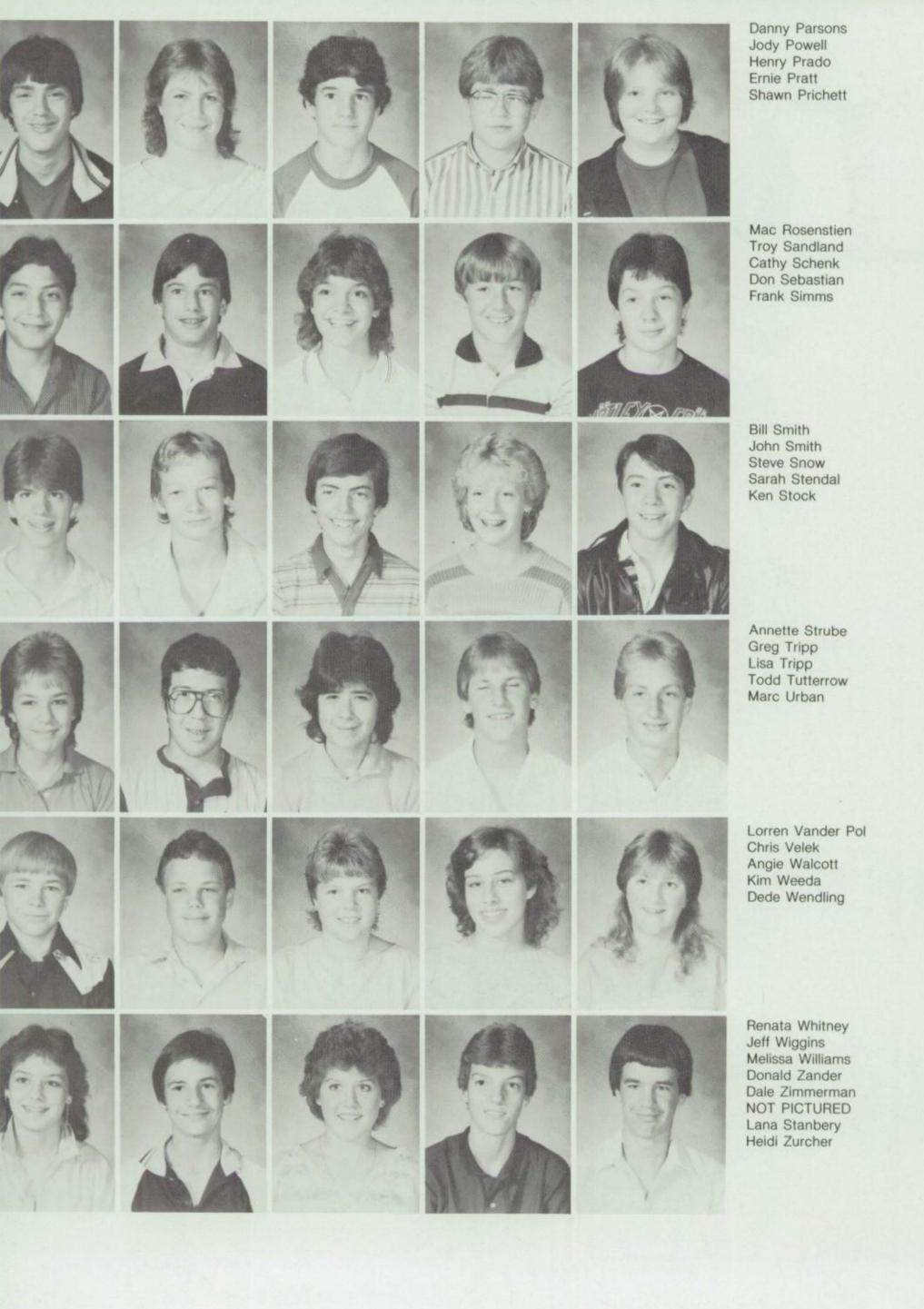


Freshmen Officers L to R: Kandi Johnson, Representative Leslie Jensen, President David Carpenter, Vice President Jennifer Hager, Secretary Treasurer

Jana Alvord Jodi Alvord Kenny Anderson Mike Anderson Ross Assink Midge Berner Rob Bertrand Forrest Bibbee Rebecca Blair Enrique Bonilla No Photo Available Bruce Bouwman Margie Bowler Mary Burcham Warren Byle Thomas Campbell Marilu Cantu Dave Carpenter Brant Carson Margie Carter Crissy Case No Photo Available Frank Casteneda Stacy Cicogni Cari Clausen John Coe Jamie Conley No Photo Available Brad Davis Tami Debruin Cammy Dodgen Derek Downing Carolyn Duim No Photo Available No Photo Available



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SOPHOMORES

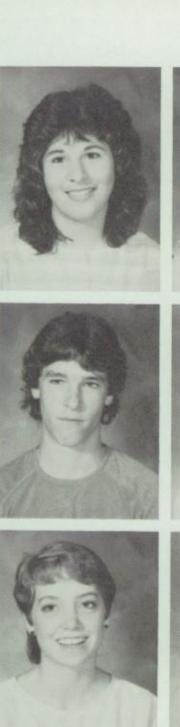
What's in Store For Next Year?

Being a Sophomore has quite a few drawbacks. First, your parents complain that you don't act grown-up, but why should you when you haven't reached the mature age of 16? Second, at age 15 you aren't allowed to drive yet so you end up being chauffeured everywhere. Third, all you can do to raise money is to deliver papers or babysit; what a bore!, and fourth at school you moved up from being a lower classmen but haven't quite reached the upperclassmen (Stuck in a state of limbo).

What can you do about these problems? Well, the simpliest solution is to wait one more year and become a Junior. We hope, however that you have enjoyed being a Sophomore, because when Junior year rolls around the only thing that you get to do is work, and work for the prom. Have Fun!



Sophomore Officers L to R: Michelle Enstrom, Representative Laurie Higgins, Secretary/Treasurer Heidi Butenschoen, Vice President Jami Parcher, President

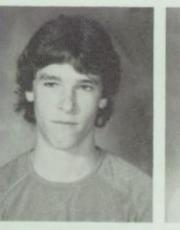








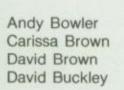
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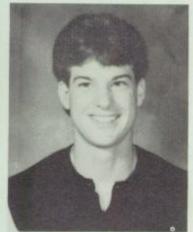


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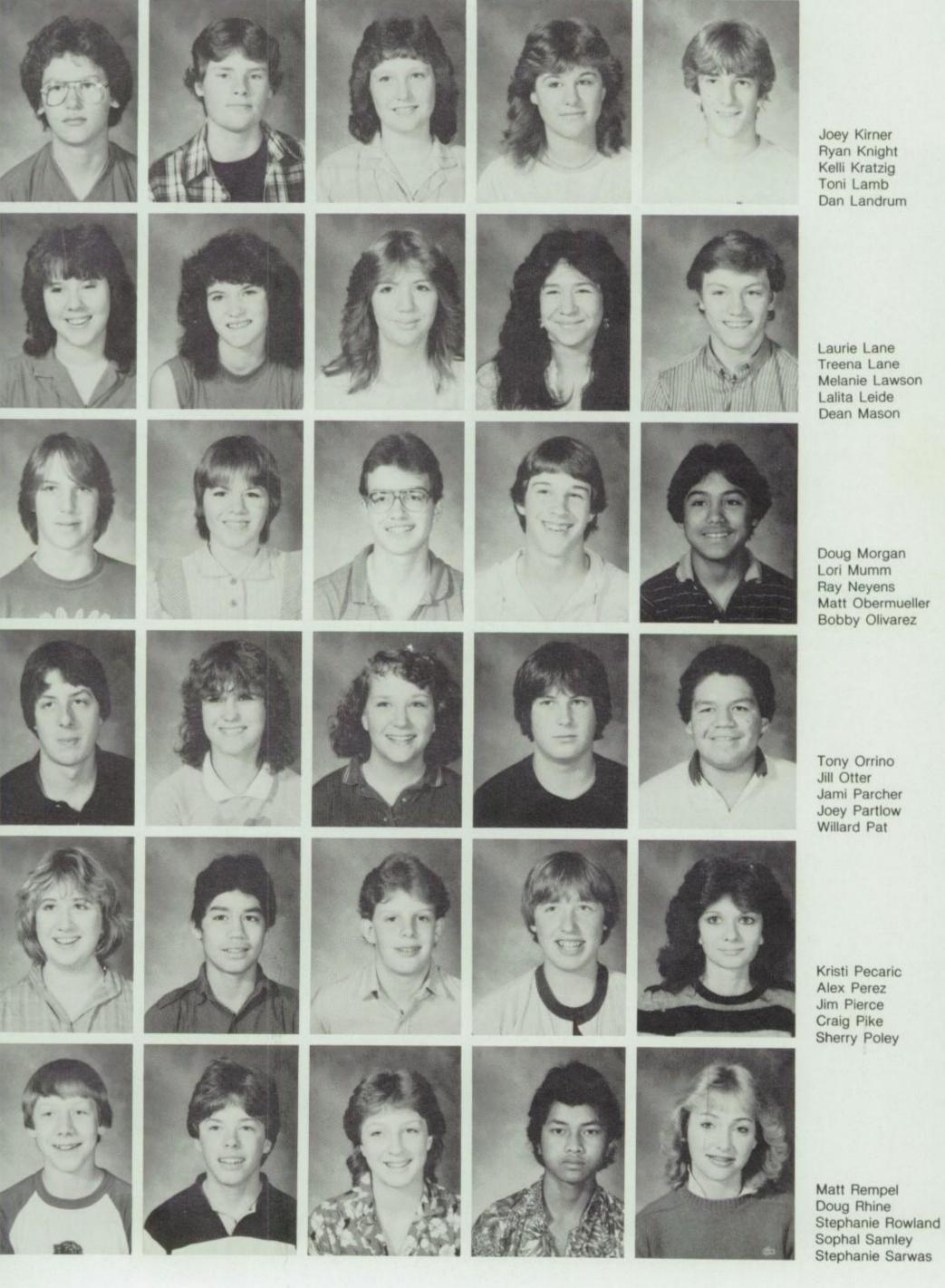


David Byle Shane Cites Angie Clapper John Conley



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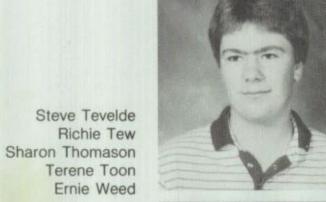










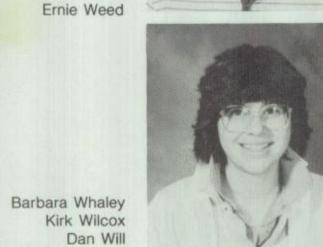
























anior Officers L to R: att O'Neil, President arma Byle, Secretary/Treasurer atty Brester, Representative odd Cowles, Vice-President

IT'S ALMOST OVER

Well, by the time you read this story, the prom will be over and the Juniors will almost be Seniors (Yea!) You've finally made it through the third and most difficult year of your ever-lasting years here at Meridian. But now you can all relax, the dreaded prom is over and done with (quite successfully too.) and the only thing you should hopefully have to worry about is WHERE ARE WE GOING TO GO ON OUR SENIOR TRIP????

Actually it's not as bad as it seems. The rough spots are over now and all the rest is easy cruising. The finer assets to High School life are yours now; you get first choice of classes, and best of all, the immortal Senior section of the bleachers during assemblies. Enjoy it while you can!

JUNIORS

Kim Abbott nya Ableman nnifer Alvord ed Anderson









Paul Benson nee Bernaert Patty Brester Ron Brevik











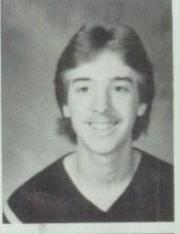


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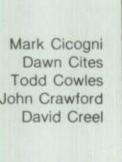






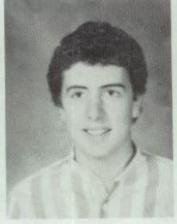
























Mike Dodgen Ben Duvall Karen Eldridge







Ron Espinoza Carl Gorsegner Tami Graham



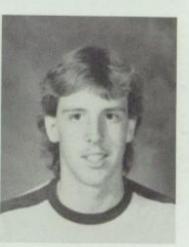




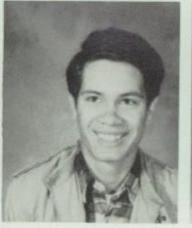


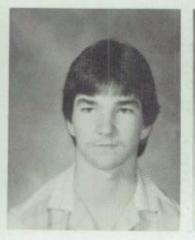






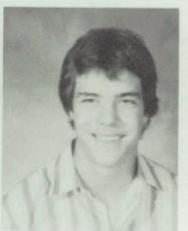
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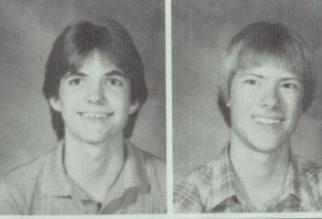




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Sami King Ken Kuiken Corey Lawson





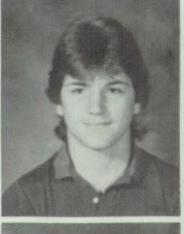


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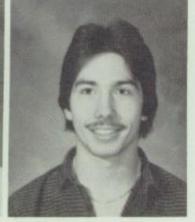






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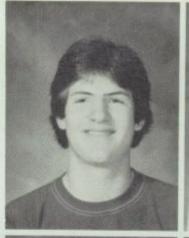






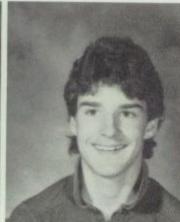








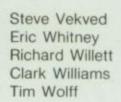








Bobbi Smitham David Stover Tom Taylor Denise Thompson Windi Tillman



ADMINISTRATION



Donald Bathues: Superintendant



Lillian Megard: Secretary



Doris Maneval: Secretary



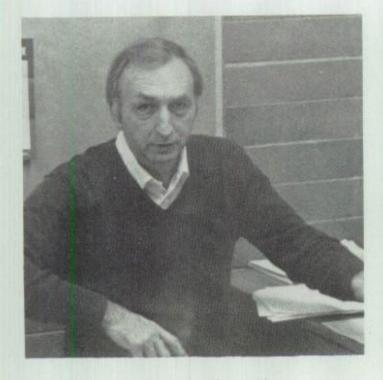
Owen Carter: Principal



Marilyn Strickler: Secretary



Trudy Parcher: Secretary



Les Knudsen: Counselor



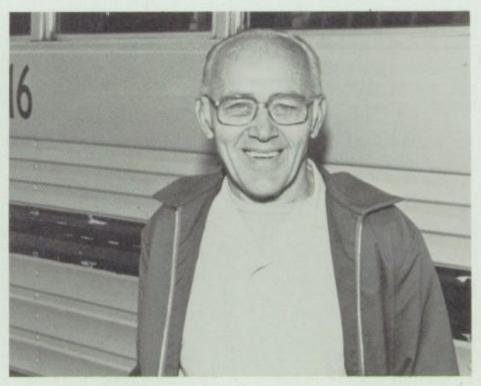
Lavern Robson: Custodian



Earl Rowe: Custodian in the Homecoming



Jo Peterson: Vice Principal



Gordon Neyens: Transportation



Larry Hammell: Dale Rick, Kevin Rick: Maintenance



Adele Vandyke, David Buckley, Bob Hicks, Ruby Parker: Food Preparation

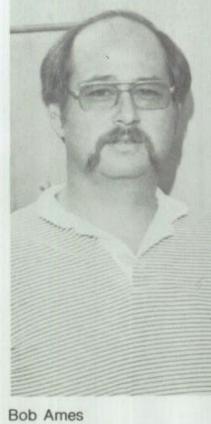


Don Stockton, Joyce Manthey, Pat Sires, Rose Church, Onalee Johnson, Ellen Smart, Vernelle Rauch, Ethel Plummer, Gordon Neyens: Bus Drivers

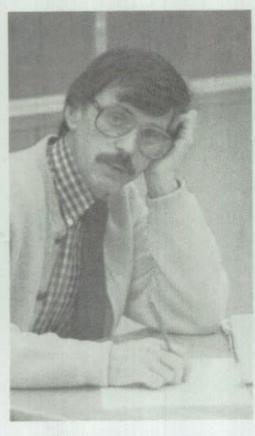
FACULTY

Through our four grueling years here at good old Meridian HS all 78 members of the illustrious class of 1985 have come to know each and every one of the teachers. Many of us know them personally, as well as professionally, and we think they are all special people. They have helped us, the graduating class of 1985 (doesn't that sound great?), to withstand all of the tortures from being meek little freshmen to getting past the night of graduation. They have prepared us in many ways to brave and survive the outside world. After all the guiding and emotional support they have provided for us there are few words left that express what we feel. The two best fitting ones are ... THANK YOU!

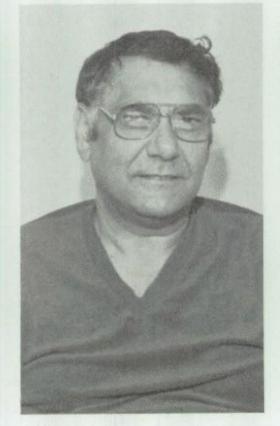
We appreciate all of your time and your wisdom in helping to make us better people.



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Dan Hollod Social Studies



Dick Jabbora Social Studies



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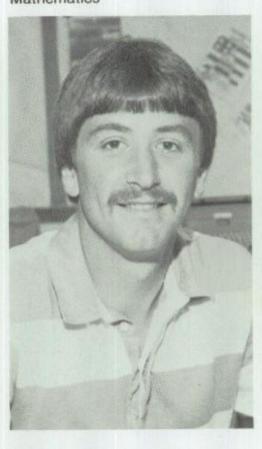
Greg Knutzen Agriculture



Connie Marchant Library



Bob Mathews English



Dan Muscatell Physical Education



Mike Protzeller English



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Valerie Grube Spanish



Richard Hess Woodshop



Carolyn Hill Home Economics



Kratzig a/English



Karen Mack Chorus



Keith Mack Band



Mary Ann Maloney Resource



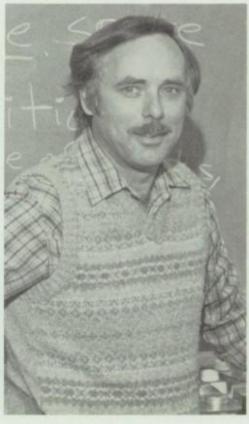
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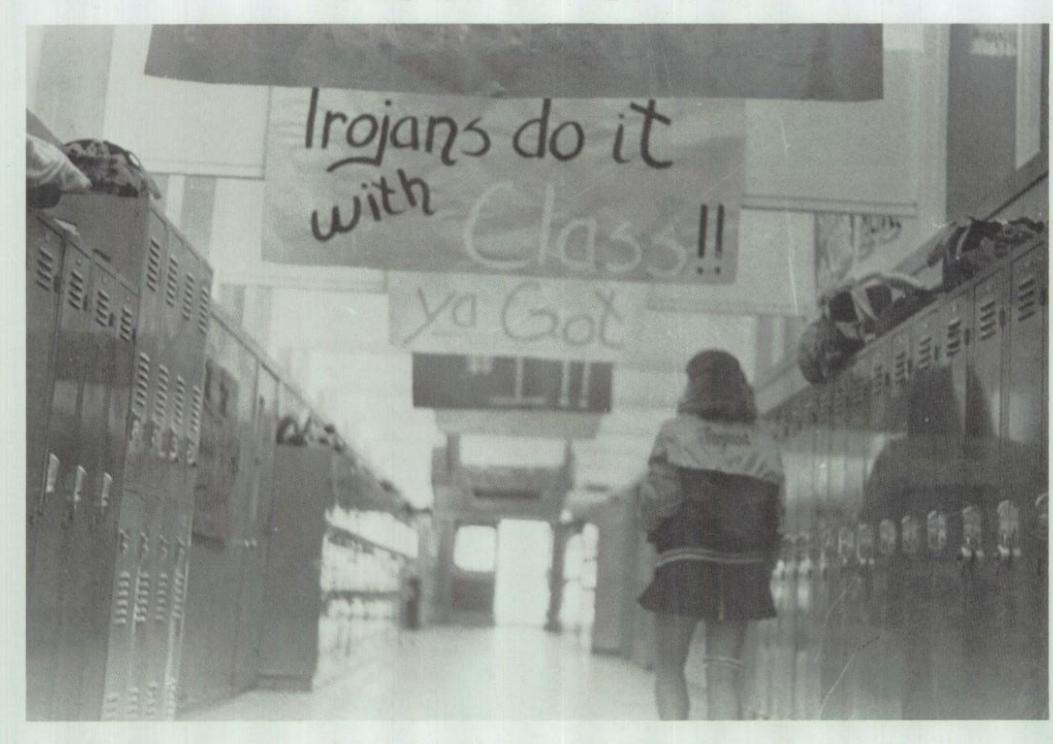


Bernell Sparks Science



Warren Wood Art

TROJAN SPIRIT





PEP CLUB: Top Row L to R; Jennifer Alvord, Cami Muenscher, Shea Rupke, Denise Angell, Christy Littlefield, Carma Byle, Rebecca Zander, Lori Stromer, Melissa Gaytan, Tracy Walls, Windi Tillman, Theresa Bertrand, Sandra Bess, Stephani Johnson. Second Row; Lisa Zweegman, Shelly Wendling, Nikki Curry, Patti Brester, Wendy Cornelison, Debbie Holz, Sandy Schmidtz, Sherry Poley, Karen Smitham. Third Row; Tracy Foster, Dawn Carter, Natalie Johnson, Dede Wendling, Tracie Hunter, Christy Carpenter, Carla Gaytan, Tracy Bellingar, Dawn Allred, Cheryl Anderson, Nora De La Garza, Shanna Howard, Karen Eldridge, Christine Ross, Laurie Higgins, Kennen Burkhardt, Toni Lamb, Krisiti Pecaric, Stephanie Rowland, Candy Downing, Laura Montgomery, Gary Manthey, Kim Anderson, Jodie Otter, Mark Adcock. Bottom Row; Kelly Lagerwey, Michelle Moreau, Leslie Megard, Wendy Hobert, Kim Matthews, Heidi Butenschoen, Jami Parcher, Kim Holz, Tina Burkhardt, Lisa Garman, Carissa Brown, Carolyn Duim, Angie Walcott, Tami Seholm, Lisa Peterson.

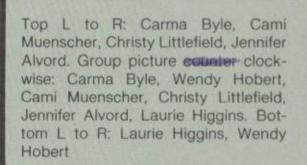
FALL CHEERLEADERS

















BASKETBALL CHEERLEADERS

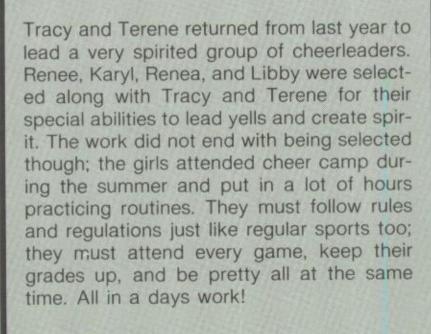








CHEERLEADERS: Clockwise from Bottom: Renee Bernaert, Tracy Walls, Karyl Keely, Renea Heslep, Teren Toon, Libby Stewart.









WRESTLING CHEERLEADERS









CHEERLEADERS T to B: Tonja Ableman, Caroly Duim, Sandy Schmitdz

This is the first year Meridian had ever had cheerleaders selected to cheer at just wrestling matches. This was just one of the few new features Meridian had experenced this past year. Apart from raditional cheering these members used chants to cheer on our eams instead of regular cheers. It was different and interesting at the same time. Just kind of a little spice in our lives huh?



-king and queen of the Trojans Mark Adoock and Cami Muenscher



HOMECOMING '84



Homecoming! What a Job! The cheer-leaders tackled the great feat of hosting homecoming with the help of the seniors this year (After a lot of fuss about who was going to do what). The spirits of the students were dampened however with the condition of the weather, after all, would you like to wear a toga with the wind whipping up it at 100 miles an hour at only -5? Doesn't that sound appealing? Even though the elements were against the ASB the seniors won by a mere 10 points against the juniors. Too bad juniors . . . Maybe next year.

Left: Freshmen; Prince Nathan Lukes and

Princess Lesley Jensen

Middle: Sophomores; Prince David Byle and

Princess Tereen Toon

Right: Juniors; Prince Carl Gorsegner and

Princess Tonya Ableman











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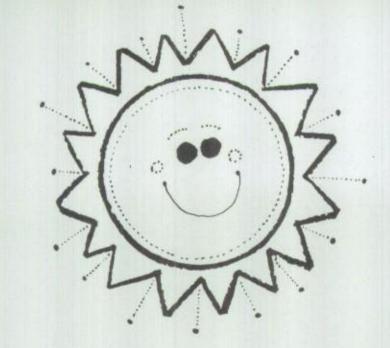


Athletic: Shea Rupke & Terry Toland, Creative: Darlene Jarvis & Marc Merrick, Friendliest: Tonya Ableman & Darlene, Involved Staff Member: Mrs. Hill & Mr. Knudsen, Involved Student: Theresa Bertrand & Dave Buri Leadership: Lisa Garman & Mark Adcock, Musically Inclined: Tracy Bellingar & Gary Horgen, Peppiest: Nora De

COURT 1985



arza & Gary Manthey, Positive Thinker: Kim Calman & Shawn Scott, Scholarly: Laura Montgomery & Tim Vekved, ense of Humor: Kimmy Morishita & Matt O'Neill, Smile: Christy Littlefield & Eric Lukes, Sweethearts: Patti Brester & bb Patrick, Prettiest Eyes: Lori Stromer & Mike Lindstrom, Cupids: not pictured, Lori Stromer & Sonia Nelson.









1985

SENIORS



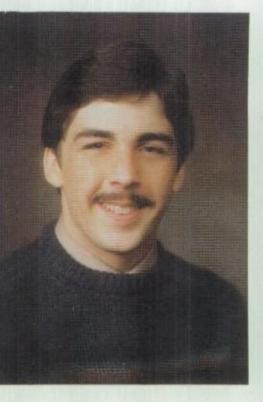
Officers B to T: Theresa Bertrand, President; David Burns, Viceent; Jodie Otter, Secretary/Treasurer; Cheryl Anderson, Alt Rep. ctured; Kim Calman, Representative

IT'S OVER ALREADY?

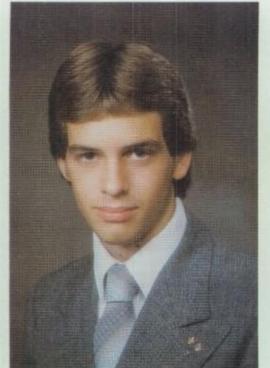
Senior year - that glorious nightmare every student waits patiently eleven long, tortuous years for, only to have it pass faster than a speeding bullet. A year spent building memories, enjoying good friends, good times, and good happenings. A year of excitement, activities, and being envied by the under-classmen. Too bad it's not just a little longer.

It wasn't all just fun and games; there was a bit of hard work done to raise money for the long awaited senior trip. Some of those long arduous tasks included the famed slave sale, the outrageously funny Big Time Wrestling, the astounding balloono-grams, heartwarming hot apple cider, and truckloads of other miscellaneous fund raisers.

Although larger than last year's graduating class, this year's 78 seniors went through the same never-ending trek of cramming for those "interesting" classes they call electives. "Psychology", "Law and You", and "Physics" never seemed to fail to tear half of the weekend from your soul. There they were, riveted to those quaint desks at home with feelings of despair knowing that finals were the next day, but still, onward trudged the mighty Trojan class of 1985 to the end of a long, twelve year journey; the end to another chapter in the book of life.



Mark Adcock



Ray Amos



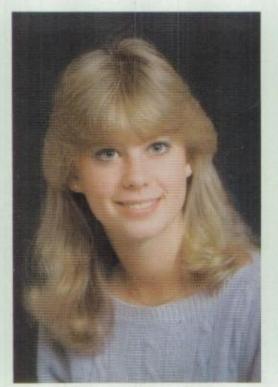
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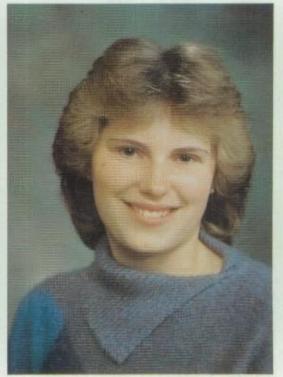
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Denise Angell



April Banks



Tracy Bellingar



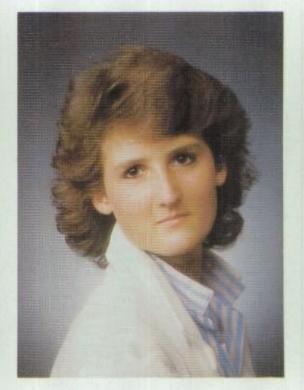
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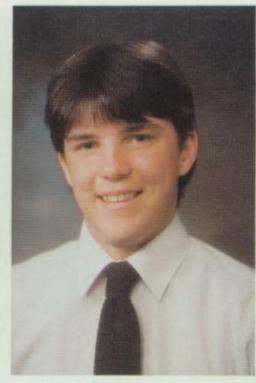
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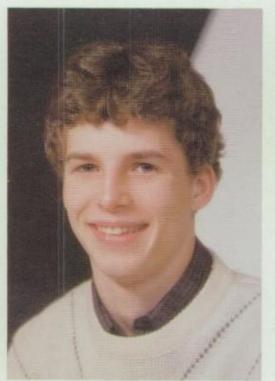
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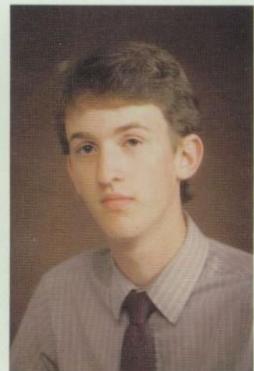
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Jay Edmonds



Rick Foster



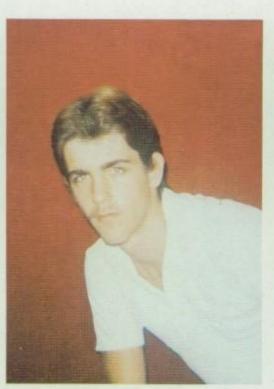
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SENIOR POLL

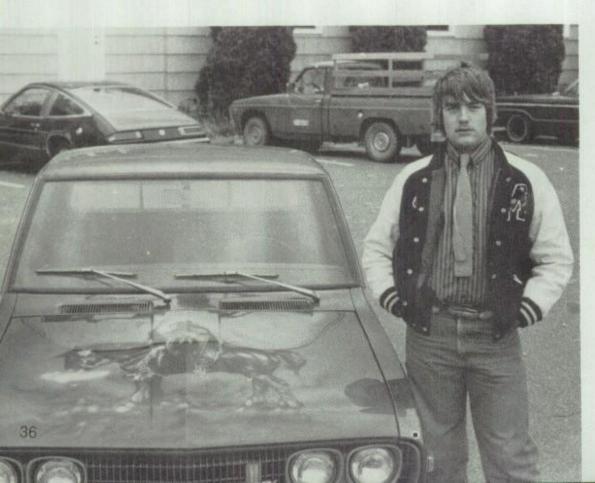


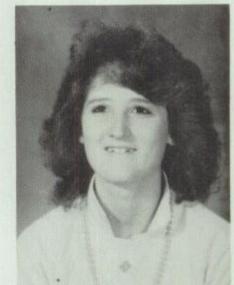
Most Likely To Be President: David and Laura



Trapped on a Desserted Island: Shawn and Lisa

Best Car: Eric







Best Dressed: Gary and Kim

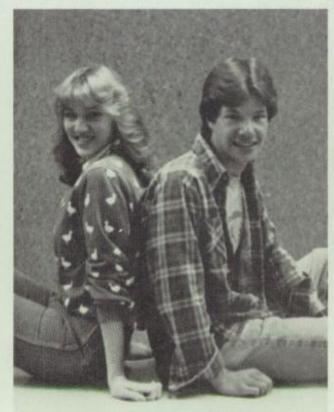


Wildest and Craziest: Mark and Ginny Lost in Another World: Marc and Tracy





Teacher's Pet: Gary and Lisa

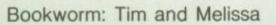


Funniest Laugh: Fielding and Christy



Sexiest: Mike and Christy

Fiercest: Terry and Nora





Sexiest Smile: Eric and Cami



Best Car: Shea



Organized: Mark and Theresa



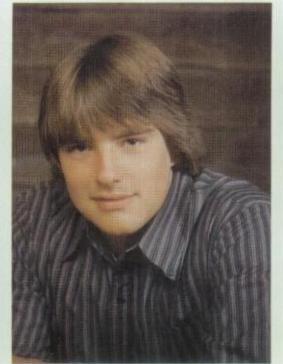




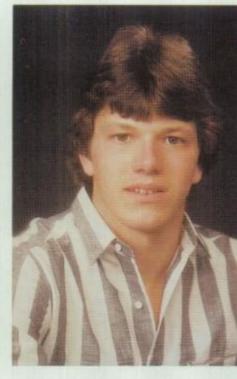
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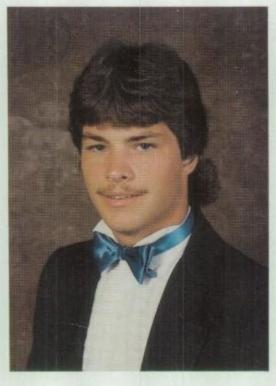
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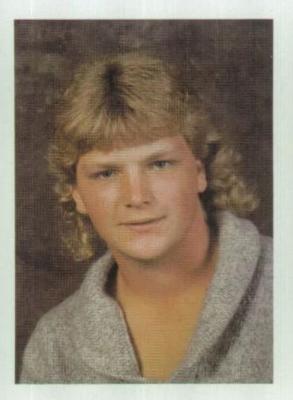
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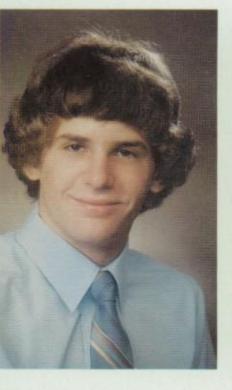
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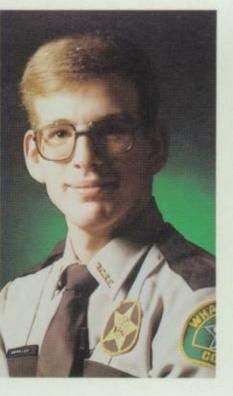
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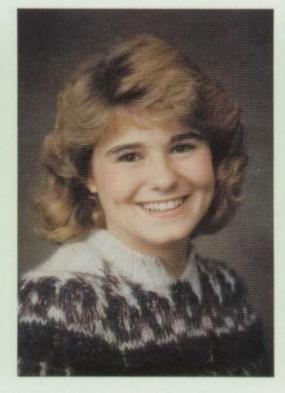
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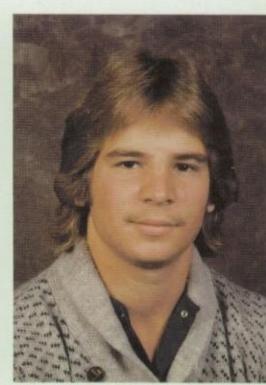
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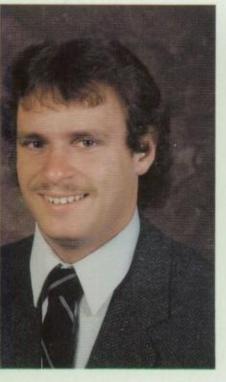
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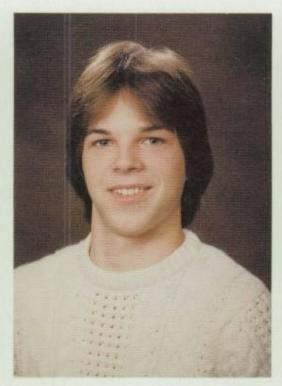
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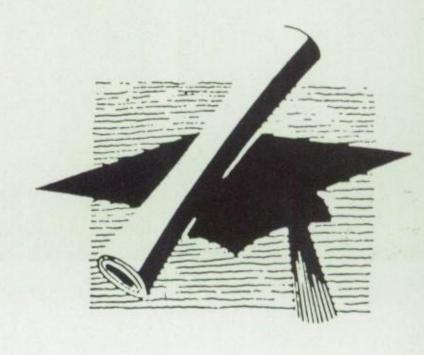
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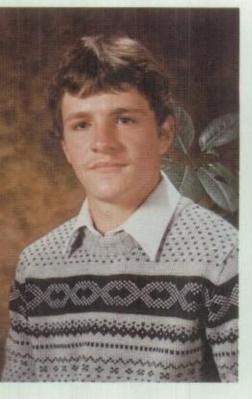
THE TIME HAS COME

Now the time has come, to go our separate ways. You've taught us how to live Through rough and trying days. You've taught us many things, We thought we'd never know And led us toward the end, Until it was time to go. But now in all our praise We owe it all to you, And thank you for your time, To help us make it through. If it weren't for our parents We couldn't be here now. Through this time of happiness And all our conscious vows. We owe a lot to teachers And God for being alive I think we are the best, The class of '85

Heather Hopingardner

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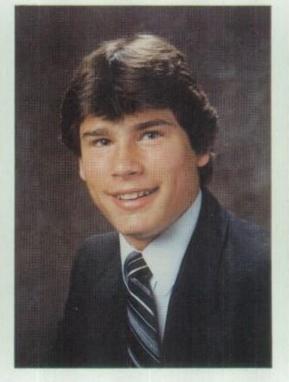
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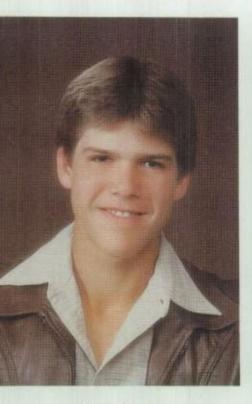
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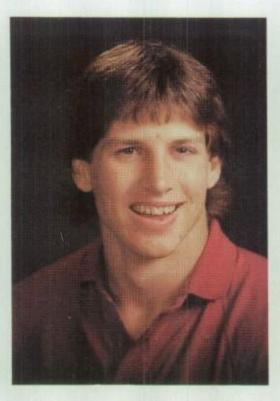
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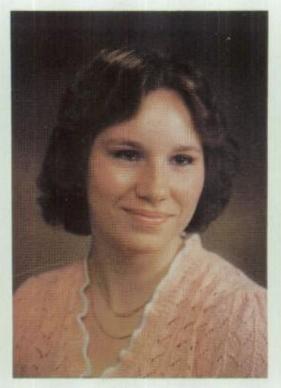
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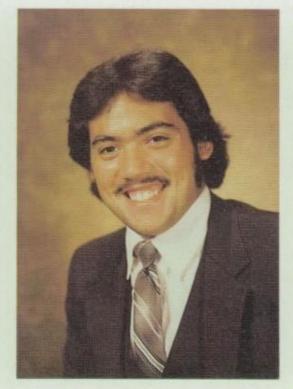
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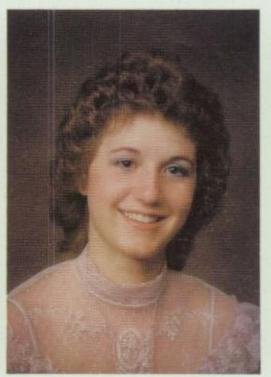
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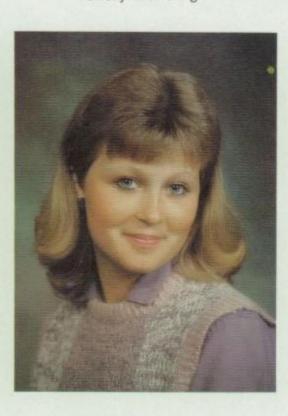
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"Don't bother me now, I'm busy."



"Hey Dudes"

"Can We Talk?"





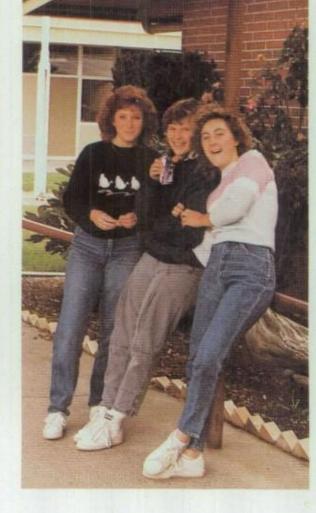
The 3 Stooges Return



"We're gonna get you!"

"MMMMM, FOOD!!!"

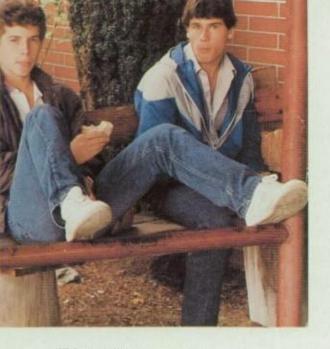




"Look at what's standing over there"

"What's going on down there"





"You talking to us?"



Don't we feel patriotic?

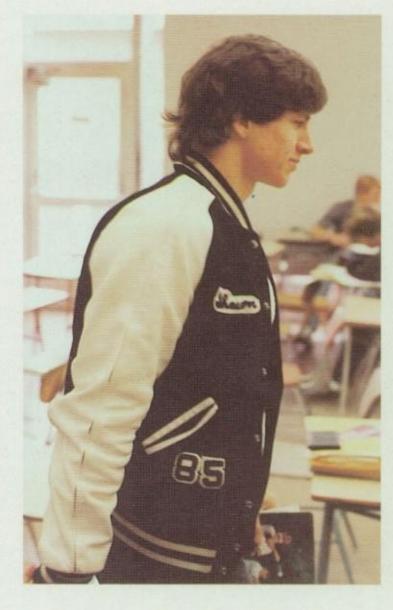
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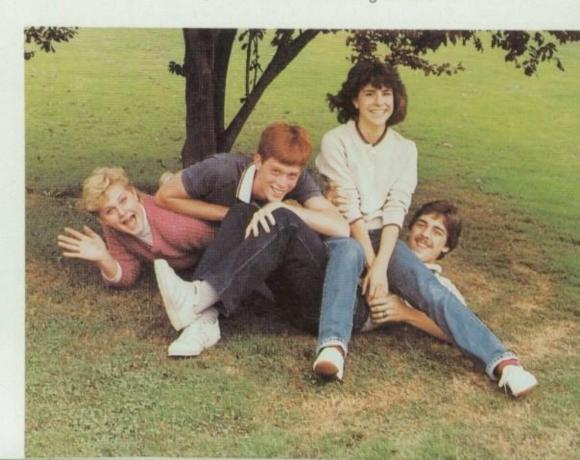
Senior Class Car Rally over the Summer.





The man with a purpose and a place.

Hmm, isn't this an interesting situation?



Adcock, Mark Leadership Workshop 3 Computer Club 1, 2, 3, 4 Knowledgebowl 3, 4 FBLA 3 Computer Club Pres. 2 FBLA V.P. 3 Jr. Class Sec/Treas. 3 Junior Achievement Finalist 3 ASB President 4 Student Council 3 Pep Club 4 Boy's State 4 Yearbook Copy Editor 4 Sweetheart Court 3 Ski Club 4 Office Aide 3, 4 KGMI Sports Reporter 3 Pep Club Pres. 4 Interhigh Rep. 4

Amos, Ray Football 1 Track 1, 2 Concert Band 1, 2, 3, 4 FFA State Band 1, 2, 3, 4 FFA 2, 3, 4 Computer Club 1

Anderson, Cheryl
FBLA Publicity Manager 4
FHA 4
Trojan MISS 3, 4
Big Sister 4
Pep Club 4
Pep Club 4
Pep Club Rep. 4
Newspaper 4
Senior Class Temporary Rep. 4

Anderson, Kim Volleyball 1 Softball 1, 2, 3 Girl's Club 2 Basketball 3

Angell, Denise Volleyball 1, 2, 4 Basketball 1, 2, 4 Softball 1, 2, 4 FHA 1, 4 FBLA 2 FBLA V.P. 4 Trojan MISS 3, 4 Big M 2, 4

Banks, April Varsity Cheerleader 2, 3 Trojan MISS 3 Big M 2, 3 Student Council 1 Ski Club 1, 2, 3, 4 Pep Club 4

Barnes, Teresa FFA 1

Bellingar, Tracy
Volleyball 1, 2
Basketball 1, 2, 4
Softball 1, 2, 3, 4
Band 1, 2, 3
Band Treas. 3
Choir 3, 4
Soph. Class Sec./Treas. 2
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4
FFA Treas. 3
FFA Pres. 4
FFA State Band 1, 2
FFA State Farmer 3
FFA Nat. Conf. Del. 3
Junior Achievement Finalist 3
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4
Ski Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Trojan MISS 4

Bertrand, Theresa Yearbook Editor 4 Newspaper 3
Donette Senior Rep. 4
Who's Who among American High School
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FBLA 2, 3, 4
FBLA Rep. 3
FBLA Chapter President 4
FBLA NWVP 4
Junior Class V.P. 3
Senior Class Pres. 4
FHA 3, 4
Trojan MISS 3
Sweetheart Court 3
Outstanding Annual Student 3

Burch, Kim

Burkhardt, Tina
4-H Arts and Crafts 1
Horse 9 yrs
President 3 yrs
Secretary 1 yrs
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4
FFA Sentinel 3
FFA Secretary 4
Track 2
Most Improved Track 2
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4
P.E. Award 2
Computer Club 3, 4
Pep Club 4
Ag. Mechanics Award 3
Teacher's Aide 4
Big M 2
Who's Who Among American High School
Students 3

Burns, David Football 1, 2, 3, 4 Basketball 1, 2, 4 Knowledge Bowl 1, 2, 3, 4 Ski Club 2 Junior Achievement Finalist 3 Newspaper 4 Annual 4 Computer Club 1, 2 Boy's State 3 Pep Club 4 Torch Club 2 Math Award 3 Big M 3, 4 Sophomore Class Rep. 2 Senior Class V.P. Student Council 1, 3 Ag. Mechanics Team 3, 4 Ag. Mechanics Award 3 Who's Who Among American High School Students 3 FFA 1, 2, 3, 4 Outdoor Ed. Counselor 3

Caldwell (Miranda), Lisa Choir 3

Calman, Kim
Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2
Pep Club 4
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FHA 1, 2, 4
FBLA 4
FBLA V.P. 4
Who's Who Among American High School
Students 4
Office Aide 4
Big M 4
Torch Club 2
Senior Class Rep.

Carpenter, Christy Chorus 1 Boy's Varsity Mgr. 1 Volleyball 2 Softball 2 Girl's Club 2 Girl's Club Pub. Mgr. 2 FHA 3 Teacher's Aide 3

Cornelison, Wendy
Spirit Club 1
Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4
Trojan MISS 3, 4
Girl's Club 3
Girl's Club Rep. 3
Volleyball Mgr. 4
Homecoming Princess 2

Office Aide 3

Track 1, 2

Student Council 4

FHA 3, 4
Computer Club 1, 2
Ski Club 4
Newspaper 3
Junior Class Rep. 3
Pep Club 4
Trojan MISS President 4
Basketball Scorekeeper 1, 2

Curry, Nikki
FHA 1, 2, 3, 4
Vice Pres. 4
Ski Club 3, 4
Volleyball 2, 3
Torch Club 2
Trojan MISS 3, 4
Science Award 2
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Pep Club 1, 4
Library Aide 3, 4
Annual 4

De La Garza, Nora FBLA Secretary Treasurer 4 ASB Secretary Treasurer 4 Trojan MISS 4 Pep Club 4 FHA 4

Demerice, Vince
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 1
Track 2, 4
Baseball 1
Big M 2, 3, 4
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4
Pep Club 4
Computer Club 1, 3, 4
Annual 4
Ski Club 1, 4
Arts and Crafts Fair 2

Dodgen, Tammy Softball 3, 4

Edmonds, Jay Football 1 Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4 Big M 3, 4 Torch Club 2 Ski Club 1 Donette Senior Rep. 4 Band 1, 2

Fecteau, Dena

Foster, Rick
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Big M 2, 3, 4
Computer Club 1, 2
P.E. Award 3
Torch Club 2
Who's Who among American High School Students 3

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Holz, Eric

Holz, Fred Ski Club 1, 2, 3, 4 Football 1

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Muenscher, Cami Softball 1, 4 Fotball Cheerleader 3, 4 Big M 3, 4 Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4 Girl's Club 4 Newspaper 3 Student Council 4 Pep Club 1, 4 FHA 1 Wrestling Mgr. 1, 2 Girl's BB Statistician 3 Teacher's Aide 4 WCC Cheer Camp 3, 4

Interhigh Chairman 4

Students

Big M 1

Junior Achievement Finalist 3

Who's Who Among American High School

Newton, Mark Football 1, 2, 3, 4 FFA 3, 4 Big M 2, 3, 4 Ski Club 2, 3, 4 Track 1, 2, 3, 4 Choir 3, 4 Norris, Dean Football 1, 2, 3, 4 Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 Track 1, 2, 3 FFA 1, 4 Baseball 4 Football Captain 4

Choir 4 Big M 1, 2, 3, 4 Sweetheart Court 1

Obermueler, Al Football 1 FFA 1, 2, 3

Otter, Jodie
FHA 2, 3, 4
FHA Publicity Manager
Trojan MISS 3, 4
Trojan MISS Rep. 3
Girl's Club 2, 3
Girl's Club Sec. 2
Girl's Club Pres. 3
Pep Club 1, 4
Who's Who Among American High School
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Drama Club 4

Pagnano, Renea FFA 2, 3, 4 Choir 2 Pep Club 2, 3

Parker, Cindy Annual 3, 4 Chorus 3, 4 Cheerleader 2 FHA 1, 2 Drama 4 Trojan MISS 3, 4

Patrick, Rob Footall 1, 2, 3, 4 Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4 Basketball 1, 2 FFA 4 Big M 2, 3, 4

Peterson, Lisa Teacher's Aide 3 Drama 3 Trojan MISS 4 Office Aide 4 Annual 4 Pep Club 4

Piepereit, Fielding Football 1, 2 Track 2, 3, 4 Math Team 4 Big M 2, 3, 4

Pulver, Jamie Wrestling 1, 2, 4

Roy, Chris Cross Country 1, 2, 3, 4 Computer Club 1, 2, 3 Baseball 1 Big M 2, 3, 4 Basketball Mgr. 1

Rupke, Shea
Volleyball Cpt. 4
Volleyball 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Softball 1, 2, 3, 4
Big M 1, 2, 3, 4
Girl's Club 1
Girl's Club V.P. 1
Band 1, 2, 3
Sweetheart Court 2, 3
Freshman Class V.P. 1
Pep Club 1
BB Coaches Award 2, 3
BB Most Inspirational 3
Softball Golden Glove 2, 3
Library Aide 3
Teacher's Aide 4

Sandland, Keith Big M 2, 4 Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 Ski Club 1, 2, 3, 4 Football Mgr. 2 Most Improved BB Player 3

Schenk, Dave
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Big M 2, 3, 4
Homecoming Prince 2
Cross Country 1
BB Cpt. 4
BB Most Improved Player 2
Pep Club 4
Teacher's Aide

Schenk, Rod Basketball 2, 3, 4 Track 2, 3, 4 FFA 4 Big M 3, 4

Scott, Shawn
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2
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School Play 3
Freshman Class Pres. 1
Student Council 2, 3
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Seholm, Tami Band 1, 2, 4, 5 FBLA 2 Big M 3 Volleyball 3 Trojan MISS 4 Annual 4 Landscape Club 2 Pep Club 4

Smith, Theresa FFA 2, 3 Newspaper 3 Big M 2, 3, 4 Soft-ball 1, 2, 4 Pep Club 1 Girls' Club 2 Teacher's Aide 3

Smitham, Karen Annual 4 Newspaper 4 Library Aide 3, 4 Volleyball Mgr. 1 Volleyball Scorekeeper 2, 3, 4 Art Show 1983 Pep Club 4

Stromer, Lori FFA 2 FHA 2, 3, 4 Choir 3, 4 Annual 4 Trojan MISS 4 Pep Club 4 Big M 4

Toland, Terry
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
All Country Football 3
Homecoming Prince 3
KnowledgeBowl 2, 3, 4
FFA 3, 4
Computer Club 1
Chess Club 4
Student Council 3
Secretary Treas. 1

Van Dyke, Suzy Girl's Club Sec. 3 Cross Country 1, 2, 3 Track 1, 2, 3 Knowledge Bowl 1, 2, 3, 4 Girl's Club 2, 3 FHA 1, 2, 3 Teacher's Aide 3 Chorus 3

Vekved, Tim
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EWU Basketball Camp 3
Knowledge Bowl 2, 3, 4
Cross Country 2, 3
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Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
Masonic Jr. Achievement Award 3
Torch Club 2
Newspaper 3
Computer Club 1, 2
Washington State Math Contest Entrant 2, 3, 4
Big M 3, 4

Walls, Tracy
Cross Country 2
Basketball 1
Track 1
Basketball mgr. 2
Student Council 2
FHA 2, 3, 4
Big M 3, 4
Pep Club 4
Basketball Cheerleader 3, 4
Sweetheart Court 3
Trojan MISS 4
Choir 3, 4

Wendling, Shelly
Pep Club 4
Mechanical Drawing Award 3
Track 2
Trojan MISS 4
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Woods, Scott Wrestling 1, 2, 3

Zander, Rebecca Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4 Basketball 1, 4 Softball 1, 2, 3, 4 Torch Club 2 Big M 1, 2, 3, 4 FHA 1, 2, 3, 4 FHA Rep. 2 FHA Pres. 4 Band 1, 2 Student Council 2 Ski Club 3, 4 Trojan MISS 3, 4 Outdoor Ed. Counselor 1, 2, 3 Head Counselor 3 Junior Achievement Finalist 3 Soc. of Distinguished American High School Students 2, 3 Who's Who Among American High School Students 3 Business Week '84 3 Office Aide 4 Newspaper 4 Pep Club 4

Zimmermann, Bryan Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 Baseball 1, 3, 4 Football 1 Big M 3, 4

Zweegman, Lisa
Basketball 2
Newspaper Advertising Mgr. 4
Cheerleader 3
Big M 3, 4
Homecoming Princess 3
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SPORTS

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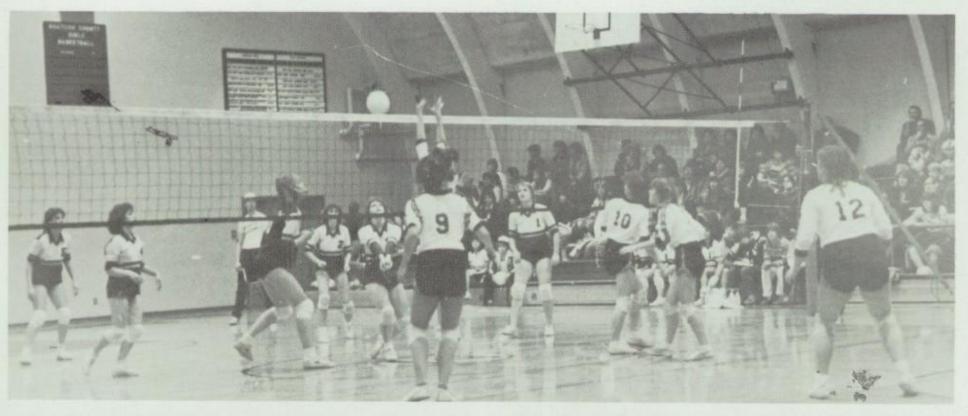
Being in sports has a very positive influence on the students, school, and community.

For example, when the Football team went to District there was excitement in the air. But when the football team went all the way to the Kingbowl VIII the Laurel community was estatic.

Being in sports brings a lot of different kinds of people together to work for one goal.

Athletes learn the meaning of responsibility, involvement, and commitment.

Parents, the administration, and the community are behind Meridian High School athletes all the way.







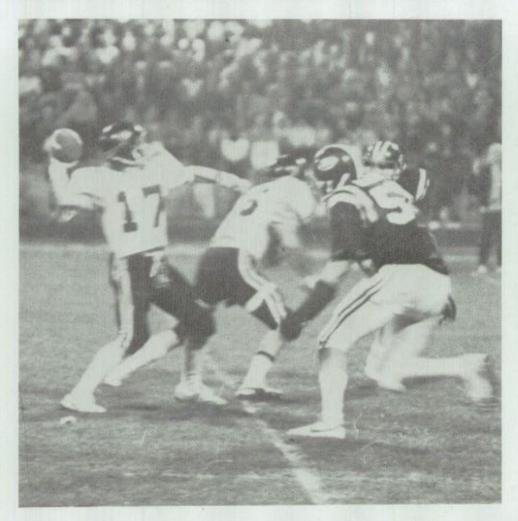
'84-'85 WCL CHAMPS

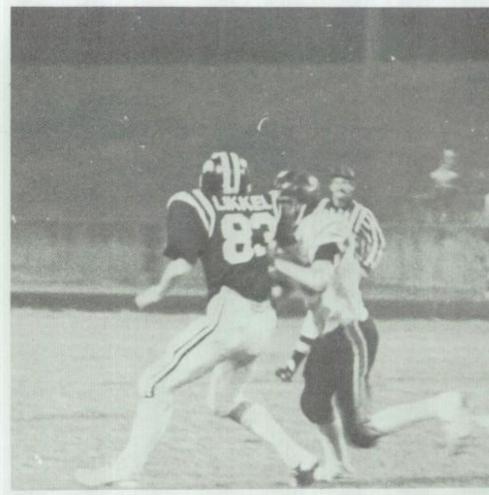


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Kingdome, Kingdome, Kingdome, chanted the crowd that one exciting night at the Tacomadome. This night marked a huge feather in our cap here at Meridian. This had been the first time ever, even when the school was just one building with a graduating class of seven that our football team had made it to the state competition. Yes that's right, Meridian High School in the State Playoffs. Hard to believe? Not really; it just seemed that we had been building steam to take the trophy. Especially since in 83' we at least started in the playoffs. Could this be any indication of what's to come next year? Let's hope so!

TROJANS	THEM	TROJANS	THEM
12	2 MB	21	14 LYN
21	2 BL	32	0 LC
19	3 LYN	13	0 SW
18	6 LC	15	0 WDL
37	0 NV	19	9 MTS
7	3 MB	7	32 CSH
32	6 BL		

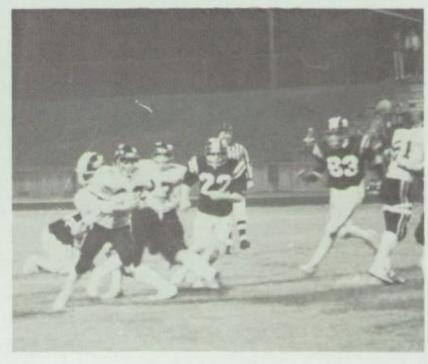














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JV FOOTBALL

CROSS COUNTRY

Cross Country Members L to R: Top Row; Rocky Cadman, Chris Roy, David Stover, David Creel Middle Row; Ray Neynes, Jim Broy, Greg Knutzen; Advisor Bottom Row; Dale Zimmerman, Bill Smith, Steve Garman, Duane Zander



Cross Country - the grueling sport that only ten members of the student body were qualified to participate in. The sport that requires raw discipline of the mind and body and is tough any way you look at it. These hard workers developed special skills and had a good time getting into shape while doing it. The ten tough Trojans battled all the other teams in Whatcom County and came out 4th place overall. Not bad for a little county school!

CONGRATULATIONS!!

TROJANS	THEM
35	20 LC
46	15 MB
23	23 LYN
31	23 NKS
26	31 BLN

4th Place in League! MHS is proud of C/C!

















VOLLEYBALL

VARSITY: Standing; Rebecca Zander, Kimie Morishita, Renee Bernaert, Karen Eldridge, Shea Rupke, Connie Shupp; Coach. Kneeling; Karen Hammell, Bobbi Smitham, Ginny Harrison





"MINE", "MINE", "MINE"; These are some of the familiar words that echoed in the gyms at Meridian over the last part of the summer. They all belonged to the dedicated V-ball players that gave up the last part of the summer to work out for a winning season. Unfortunatly it didn't turn out that way but we can't say that they didn't give it one heck of a try. "I'm expecting a lot out of my girls next year" commented coach Shupp, so that tells you that Meridian will go all the way to the finals. After all, with football expected to go well next year why not Volleyball?





JUNIOR VARSITY: Standing; Angie Clapper, Heidi Butenschoen, Pauli Good - Assistant Coach, Stephanie Sarwas, Dawn Allred. Kneeling: Dawn Carter, Jodi Alvord, Jody Powell.











C-TEAM: Standing; Kim Matthews, Natalie Johnson, Stephanie Rowland, Michelle Moreau, Angie Walcott, Tracy Hunter, Jami Parcher. Kneeling; Melissa Williams, Margi Carter, Marilu Cantu, Kelli Kratzig, Cammy Dodgen.

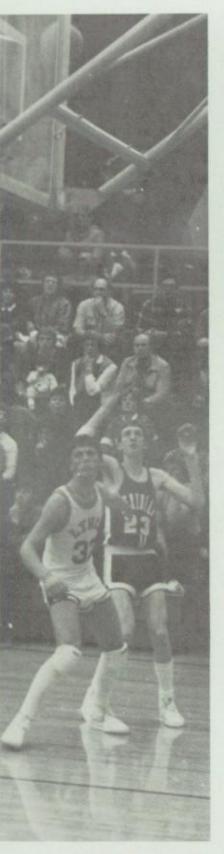
















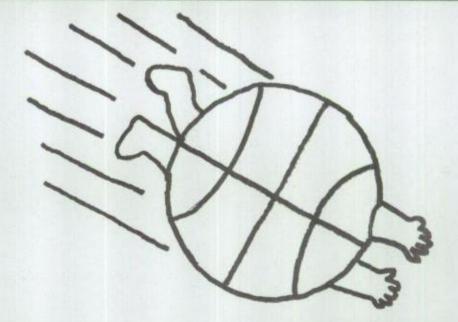


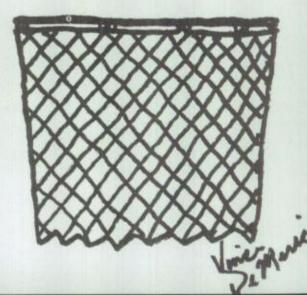
BOYS' VARSITY BASKETBALL



Standing L to R: Steve Vekved; Statistician, Vince DeMerice, Ron Schenk, Keith Sandland, Brian Zimmerman, Brian Fox, Tim Vekved, David Schenk, Rick Foster, Dean Norris, Jay Edmonds, Kneeling, L to R; Eric Lukes, Dan Muscatell, coach; Pat Johnson, Manager; Desi Luna.

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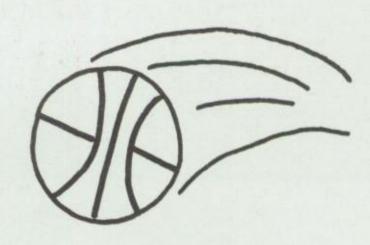
BOYS' J.V. BASKETBALL



Top row L. to R; Craig Pike, Richie Tew, John Conley, Gary Mydland, Marty Gray, Bud Powell, Andy Bowler; Kneeling, Lance Scott, Coach Barthlow, and Shannon Hicks.

The J.V. Boys' Basketball Team had a tremendous amount of dedication. The boys had practices at odd hours and they practiced right along side the varsity players.

With this experience the boys have shown that in the years to come their potential and stamina as a team will be great!





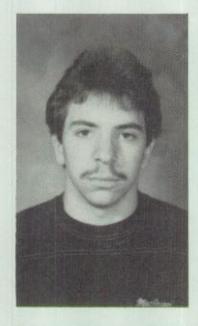
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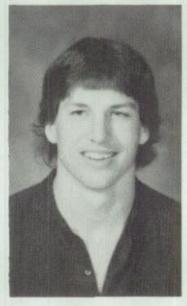
Lorren Vanderpol - 101 lbs.
Steve Snow - 129 lbs.
Rob Patrick - 141 lbs.
John Giacoletti - 148 lbs.
Rick Patrick - 158 lbs.
Chris Velek - 158 lbs.
Shawn Scott - 168 lbs.
Rich Willett - 168 lbs.
Eric Jensen - 168 lbs.
Travis Jackson - 178 lbs.
Marty Burns - 178 lbs.
Charles Jackson - 190 lbs.
Terry Toland - Unlimited

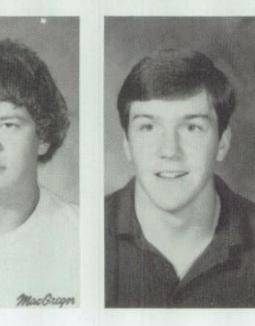
Due to uncontrollable circumstances the Wrestling scatters and team pictures taken by the Yearbook staff were unattainable this year.

Congratulations to Shawn Scott for placing 2nd at the State and Terry Toland for qualifying to go to State. All the other wrestlers are congratulated also for their outstanding jobs.



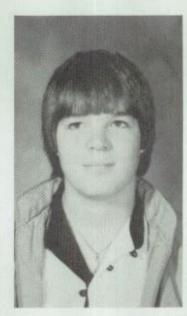


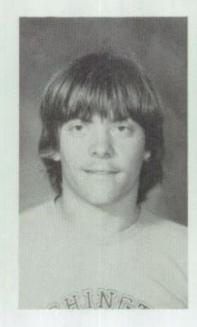


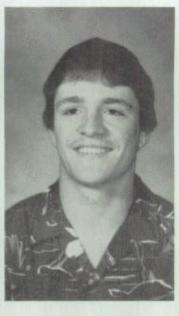






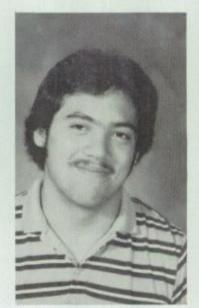






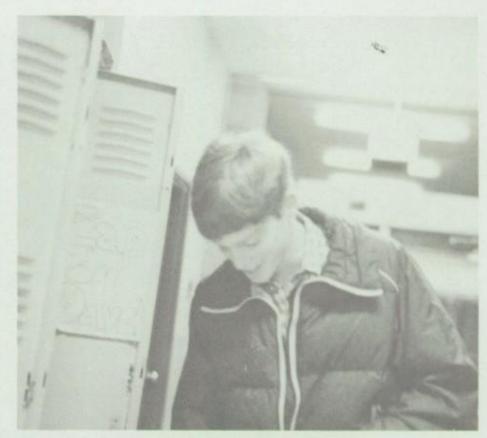






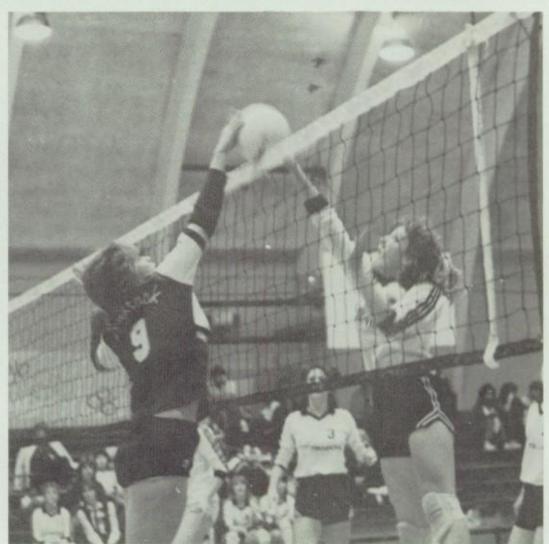








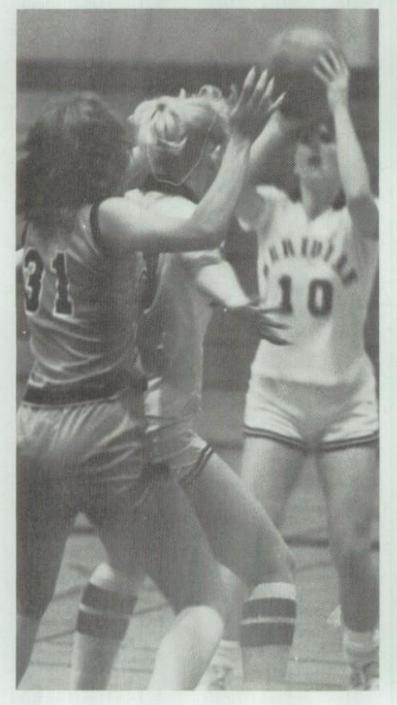




GIRLS' VARSITY BASKETBALL

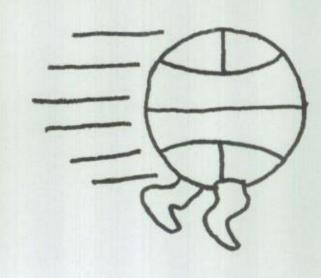
Bottom Row L to R: Leslie Jensen, Lana Hamilton; coach, Bobbi Smitham, Connie Shupp; coach, Margie Bowler. Top Row L to R; Angie Clapper, Natalie Johnson, Clydene Hitchcock, Heide Betenschoen, Stephanie Sarwas, Shea Rupke, Rebecca Zander.







The girls' varsity had a rough year in '85, they faced tough opponents and had tough breaks. With the season ending and a 1-13 record the girls felt discouraged. Even though they didn't sweep up the county and state championship, the girls had a right to be proud of what they had accomplished. They had worked hard to make it a good season and had their sportsmanship and pride. GOOD JOB!



anding L. to R; Natalie Johnson, Angie Walcott, Michelle Moreau, Jana Alvord. neeling L. to R: Cari Clausen, Sarah Stendal, Monica Durbin.

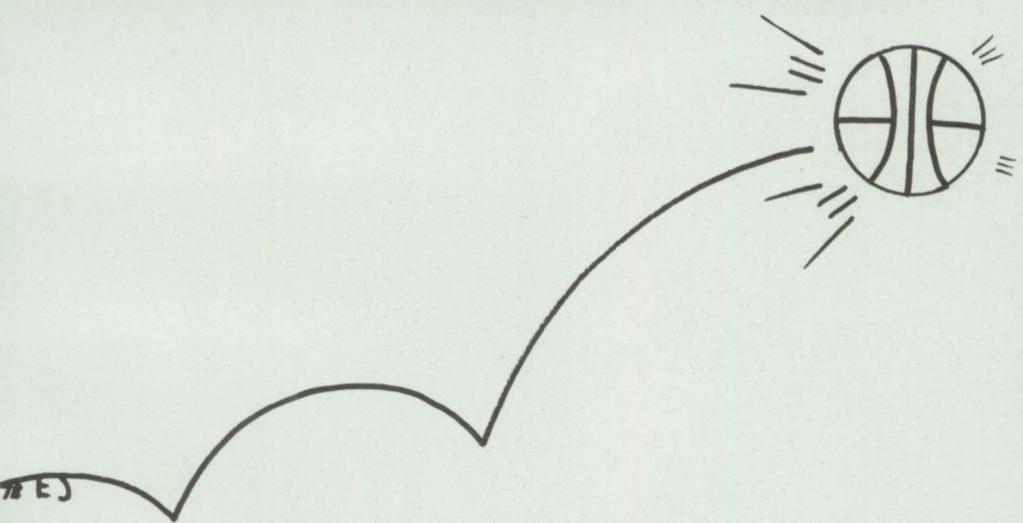


The J.V. girl's basketball team did not have a winning season although their record did not discourage them. They showed this by their hard work at turnouts and games. Because the team is so young, they have a tremendous amount of team unity which will give them great potential in the years to come.









J.V. GIRLS' BASKETBALL







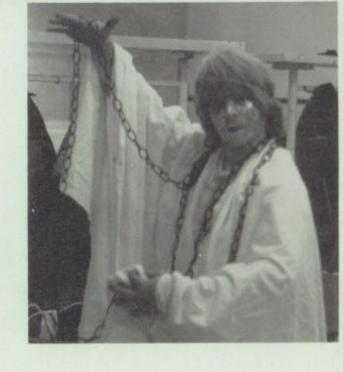








1985



ACTIVITIES











CHOIR



Top Row, L to R: Windi Tillman, Renee Berneart, Cathy Schenk, Heidi Butenschoen, Tammy Harriman, Ron Espinoza, Kristi Pecaric. Middle Row Cindy Parker, Kim Mathews, Cindy Amos, Cami Muenscher, Troy Lindstrom, Tracy Bellingar, Mark Newton, Tonya Ableman, Karen Eldridge Bottom Row: Midge Berner, Dawn Allred, Darlene Jarvis, Tracy Walls, Steve Vekved, Toni Lamb, Shanna Howard, Shelia Hecock, Mrs. Mack Advisor



Do, Re, Me, Fa, So, La . . Ahh, such familiar sounds to that of a choir student. Who would have ever thought such strange and simple words would be such an important part in their life, or teacher's for that matter? More and more people started to sing those strange phrases and songs this year as the class started to grow with new members transferring in. After dwindling years in the choir's enrollment the new singers were a welcome sight to Mrs. Mack. There was only one problem with more students, and that was the fact that more money had to be raised for the field trip. Their main goal was a joint two day tour to Eastern Washington with the band to perform at different high schools. This would be the first year that such a venture would be made. The members started scheming and finally settled on some basic fundraisers such as candy bar sales and trinkets from a gift catalog. Not everything went for the , choir's benefit though, the members sang at rest homes and assemblies for the student body and their efforts were greatly appreciated by all.



BAND

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ottom Row L to R: Ben DuVall, Tomoko Masuzawa, Cammy Dodgen, Carla Gaytan, Melissa Williams, Jami Parcher, Michelle Enstrom, Libby tewart. Second row: Mr. Mack; Instructor, Ray Amos, Angie Walcott, Tracy Hunter, Jennifer Hager, Natalie Johnson, Laurie Higgins, Kelli ratzig, Ernie Pratt, Mark Urban. Third Row: David Howe, Lori Mumm, Jody Powell, Warren Byle, Ron Espinoza, David Byle, Frank Castaneda, ric Hill, David Carpenter, Duane Zander, Steve TeVelede. Fourth Row: Jared Parker, Steve Snow, Matt Rempel, Ernie Weed, Terry Toland, rthur Mayshack, Brian Haugen, Gary Manthey, Clark Williams, Lars Guisti, Kirk Wilcox. Fifth Row: Dan Ingram, Mike Anderson, Jennifer Ivord, Steve Haugen, Gary Horgan, Karen Hammell, Jana Alvord, Sandra Bess.

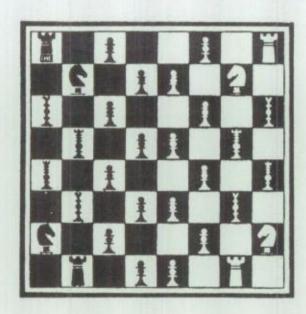
A typical band member has spent a multitude of hours dedicated to practice at home and at school. It's this kind of dedication that keep the band spirit alive and kicking here. This dedication is shown to the public by the band when they play at all the football and basketball games. (especially in the pouring rain) It hasn't been easy, But as any band member will tell you, it has been rewarding. They are the performers whose audiences have really appreciated their dedication and efforts. This year more than just the community saw their dedication when the band played in the Kingdome. Some of the things that happened to the band this year will hopefully just be the start of things such as the new band building scheduled for construction over the summer. It's just in time for the class of '85 to enjoy! Ha Ha





Practicing for the King Dome!

CHESS, COMPUTER, BIG M CLUBS





Back Row: Ron Espinoza, Eric Holz, Terry Toland. Front Row: Jim Pierce, Marc Merrick, Corey Lawson, David Creel.

Computer Club Back Row: David Creel, Corey Lawson, Jim Pierce, Martin Burns, Ron Espinoza. Front Row: Marty Gray, Mike Dodgen



People on shoulders L to R: Matt O'Neill, Eric Lukes, Desi Luna, Troy Lindstrom. Carni Muenscher. Back Row: Dave Schenk, Brian Fox, Bud Powell, Tim Vekved, Eric Holz, Greg Lindsay, Vince DeMerice, Lance Heslep, Shawn Scott, Shea Rupke, Carma Byle, Jennifer Alvord, Christy Littlefield, Bryan Zimmerman, Martin Burns. Third Row: Tina Burkhardt, Charles Jackson, Cheryl Anderson, Chris Roy, Keith Sandland, Ginny Harrison, Rod Schenk, Denise Angeli, Second Row: Denise Thompson, Kim Anderson, Windi Tillman, Christine Ross, Melissa Gaytan, Nikki Curry, Rebecca Zander, Tracy Walls, Nora De La Garza, Wendy Cornelison, Debbie Holz, Robbie Patrick, Patti Brester, Laurie Higgins, Wendy Hobert, Tonya Ableman, First Row: Lori Mumm, Kelli Kratzig, Kim Holz, Jami Parcher, Marty Gray, Tomi Lamb, Dawn Allred, Terene Toon, Jeff Smith, Karen Eldridge, Shannon Hicks, Fielding Piepereit



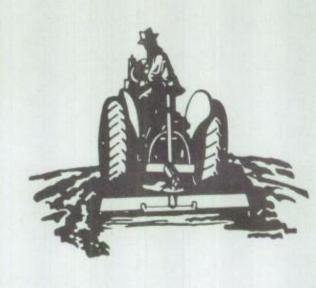
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FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

FFA Back Row L to R: Advisor; Greg Knutzen, Natalie Johnson, Richard Willet, Travis Howard, Tony Halderman, Corey Lawson, Teresa Barnes Dale Zimmerman, Denise Thompson, Ken Anderson, Eric Lukes, Mike Anderson, Tom Campbell. Front Row L to R: Mark Johnson, Tamm Hunter, Tracy Bellingar, Troy Linstrom, Marty Gray, Heather Hopengardner, Patrick Jarvis.



Future Farmers of America. Is that what these people will be? Well, with the experience these people gained on plants and animals in this club we should be in safe hands with them running our farms. One of the major goals this club set this year was to fix up under the ASB readerboard. This barren wasteland caught the eye of some of the involved members and seemed like one of the better ways to learn about horticulture and make the school look better at the same time. The Associated Student Body transferred \$100 dollars into the FFA account and the results were well worth it. As a matter of fact I think that the ASB got its money worth and more!







FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

HA: Back Row L to R: Sharon Thomason, Suzy Van Dyke, Michelle Moreau, Laurie Lane, Melanie Lawson, Kim Matthews, Natalie Johnson, Lisa Garman, Laura Montgomery, Tammy Harriman, Jamie Conley, Kandi Johnson, Stephanie Johnson, Susan Davies. 3rd Row: Denise Angell, Christine Ross, Cammy Dodgen, Jody Powell, Sherry Polly, Kim Weeda, Dawn Carter, Jikki Curry, Kimmi Morishita, Rebecca Zander, Patty Brester, Michelle Nogle, Carla Gaytan, Jodi Alvord, Denise Thompson, Teresa Barnes, Kelly Lageryway, Sonia Nelson, Jodi Otter. 2nd Row: Cheryl Anderson, Wendy Cornelison, Melissa Gaytan, Debbie Holz, Susan Davis, Candi Downing, Carolyn Duim, Tracy Foster, Carissa Brown. Front Row: Lori Stromer, Tracy Walls, Nora De La Garza, Gerri Lee, Heather Hopengardner, Julie McCarley, Margie Carter, Mrs. Hill; Advisor, Heide Butenshoen.





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The Future Homemakers of America is a special club here at Meridian, they are one of the few clubs that assume more of a leadership role than necessary. Each year the club tackles the major fundraiser "Mother's Tea", which takes months of planning and days of preparation for themembers. The club also hosts the Snak-n-Yak and the Father Daughter Breakfast. These are all extremely large It's clubs and groups like FHA that have helped to bring Meridian back to be one of the more respected schools in the County.





FHA officers L to R: Rebecca Zander; President, Nikki Curry; Vice-President, Jodi Otter; Publicity Manager, Heidi Butenschoen; Secretary/Treasurer, Stephanie Johnson; Representative

SKI CLUB

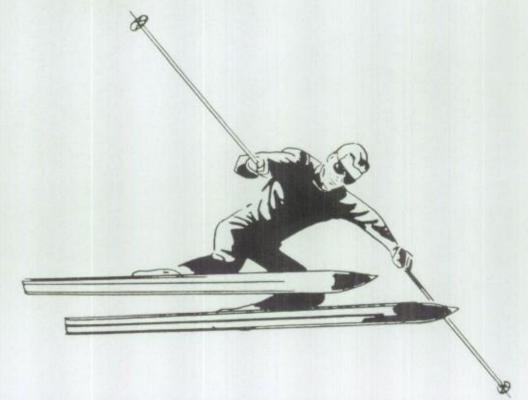


Back Row L to R: Duane Zander, Bryan Martinson, Gary Manthey, Rod Schenk, Keith Sandland, Michelle Enstrom, Jami Parcher, Karen Hammell. 2nd Row: Jeff Wiggens, Steve Snow, Nathan Lukes, Natalie Johnson, Mark Johnson, Fred Holz, Michelle Nogle, Todd Jensen, Kristi Pecaric, Dan Muscatell; Asst. Advisor. 3rd Row Mac Rosenstein, Chris Edmonds, Eric Lukes, Clark Williams, Mark Adcock, Nikki Curry, Kim Holz, Trudy Parcher; Advisor. 4th Row: Joe Haynes, Warren Byle, Ginny Harrison, Sarah Stendal, David Carpenter, Wendy Hobert, Steve Haugen, Troy Sandland. 5th Row: John Karuza, Kandi Johnson, Jennifer Hager, Melissa Williams, Leslie Megard, Tracy Bellingar.

THINK SNOW!!

Snow is the greatest thing in the world according to any ski member at Meridian and so it should be. These are the dedicated loons that arise at some strange hour in the morning just to slide down a mountain on weird slats through snow. Strange group aren't they? This "speciman" can be found packing its bags even before the roosters wake up. They flock to the mountains in great hoards to freeze their toes off and make their nose red. WEIRD! Seriously, the people above are extremely dedicated to wake up and drive up the mountain through treacherous conditions just to keep their body fit. It also takes dedicated people beat off the wild herds at the newly built concession stand like these people did. If there is any sport in this world that people at Meridian are dedicated to than skiing is the one. So help a skier out and do what they do ... THINK SNOW!





FBLA





L to R: Cheryl Anderson, Rebecca Zander, Heather Hopingardner, Ray Neyens, Carter, Theresa Bertrand. Second Row: Tracy Foster, Sherry Poley, Denise Holz, Bertrand, Kelli Kratzig, Stephanie Johnson, Angie Clapper, Mrs. Byrnes; Advisor. g: Denise Angell, Nora De La Garza, Kimmi Morishita.

dent: Theresa Bertrand, Vice-President: Denise Angell, Publicity Manager: Cheryl rson, Representative: Dawn Carter, Secretary Treasurer: Nora De La Garza, Historiracy Foster

FBLA stand for Future Business Leaders of America and that's just what we have here at Meridian. This group of people are the leaders to be, in our society. They prove this by the business-type things they do around the school. The major fundraiser the FBLA hosts is the school store which serves snacks and assorted other goodies (mmm! Corn Nuts). Another thing they do annually, is write letters to the Irene Reither Primary School. The members assume names of Santa's elves and then write back to the Christmas wish lists of the students. Over all FBLA is the place to be if you intend to be in business because after all, a head start has never really hurt anybody has it?

M.I.S.S. & Girl's Club; Back Row L to R: Denise Thompson, Cindy Amos, Tracy Hunter, Ginny Harrison, Dawn Carter, Denise Angell, Cammy Dodgen, Steph Johnson, Sharon Thomason, Natalie Johnson, Angie Walcott, Wendy Hobert, Leslie Megard. Second Row; Teresa Barnes, Kim Holz, Carla Gaytan, Lisa Peterson, Tami Seholm, Windi Tillman, Nora De La Garza, Renata Whitney, Jodie Alvord, Candy Johnson, Michelle Enstrom, Jennifer Hager. Sitting; Tracy Bellingar, Shelly Wendling, Christine Ross, Tracy Walls, Melissa Gaytan, Debbie Holz, Wendy Cornelison, Jodie Otter, Rebecca Zander, Lori Stromer, Nikki Curry, Sami King, Patty Brester

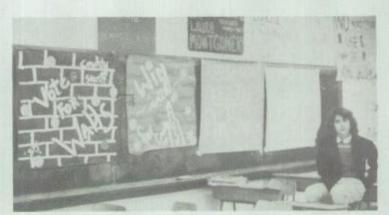


Trojan M.I.S.S.; Motivation, Inspiration, Spirit, and Support, the spirited club started just two years ago by Mr. Ames to help raise school spirit, and support the football team returned to the scene. Although they were off to a slow start they still came through and did their job. Faced by the same type of problems any club runs up against, whether it was the fact that everyone forgot to buy tinfoil for the first Baked Potato Sale or someone forgot their cake when they were a guardian angel, they still survived. This club has also provided a good opportunity for the M.I.S.S. members and the football team members to have better relations between them and their school.

Some of the ideas presented by M.I.S.S. have practically become a tradition since started, after all, what would the football players do without their goodies and signs on game days? The members of M.I.S.S. have helped to increase the spirit during the football season and that has lent a helping hand to the ASB officers who had intended spirit to be a major goal this year. This hard working group of Trojan women is greatly appreciated by all of us here at MHS.





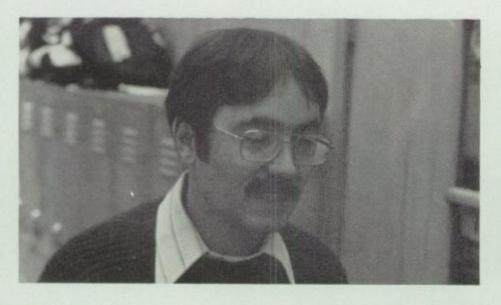


TROJAN MISS & GIRLS CLUB

NEWSPAPER



Top Row L to R: Mr. Protzeller; Advisor, Mike Lindstrom, Teresa Barnes. Middle row: Aaron Mason, Laura Mongomery; Editor, April Banks, Carl Gorsegner, Rebecca Zander, Jay Edmonds, Lisa Garman, Karen Smitham. Bottom Row: Denise Angell, Cheryl Anderson, Martin Burns.





DIDN'T YOU SAY YOU WANTED TO BE A REPORTER?

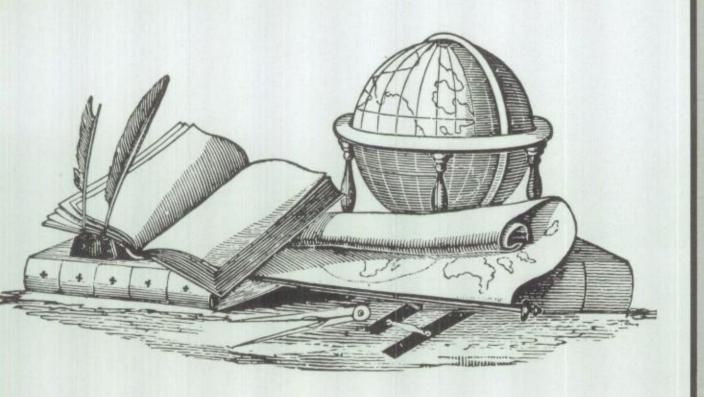
On a good day, Newspaper class can be a harrowing experience. Missed deadlines, lost advertisement contracts, and Mr. Protzeller are only a few of the problems a "Spirit of Troy" reporter must face. But these only add the the excitement of the class and being one the the members of the press. The lucky few who attend the actual printing of the newspaper at the Lynden Tribune are never able to forget the experience (no matter how hard they try). These students worked hard to dredge up the arcticles from the bottom of their brains and worked ever harder to get them on paper. Without dedicated students like these, MHS would never have any way of finding out about things their missing or just plain didn't know. Good Job Guys!



KNOWLEDGE BOWL



First Row L To R: Ron Brevik, Suzi Van Dyke, Martin Burns, Tim Vekved, Lori Mumm. Back Row: Mr. Jabbora; Advisor, Marc Merrick, Corey Lawson, Mark Adcock, David Burns, Mr. Carter; Advisor, Nora De La Garza, Mike Dodgen.



Do you like Trivial Pursuit? Yes? Well then, this is the club for you. Knowledge bowl is made up the few select students that thrive on trivia and odd little facts. Teams are springing up all over the United States to compete for the "know it alls". The teams are made up by selecting different people who are specialized in one specific area to widen the chances of winning. The advisors have to pick each team carefully to provide a well rounded team. Unfortunatly trivia is one test that you really can't study for. However, you can sure try. One way some of the members study is by playing the game Trivial Pursuit, another sure fire "cram" method is taking the Almanac with you on the way to a meet. You can always learn something through that.

This year went well for the team after they placed third in a county wide competition and with any luck they will go on to place in the state wide. Keep Studying!

ANNUAL

op Row L to R: Mark Adcock; Copy Editor, Karen Smitham, Theresa Bertrand; Editor, Suzan Imel, Mr. Vood; Advisor, Cindy Parker, Lisa Peterson, Darlene Jarvis. Bottom Row: Vince DeMerice, Eric Lukes, Matt O'Neill, Brian Fox.

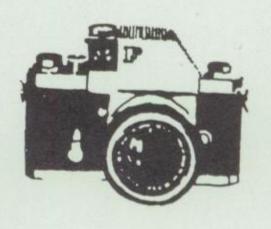


ANNUAL

This has got to be the hardest and most pressured class that any one student could take. The hours run long into the night for the editors and grind on everyone elses nerves during the daytime. Who would ever think a class that sounds so easy could be so hard? The members were faced with ever increasing problems during the year but somehow (hopefully) managed to overcome each of the obstacles and proceed onward to finish this glorious annual. Actually, everything above is true but the students that braved the class had a lot of good and bad times together and hopefully everyone learned from them.



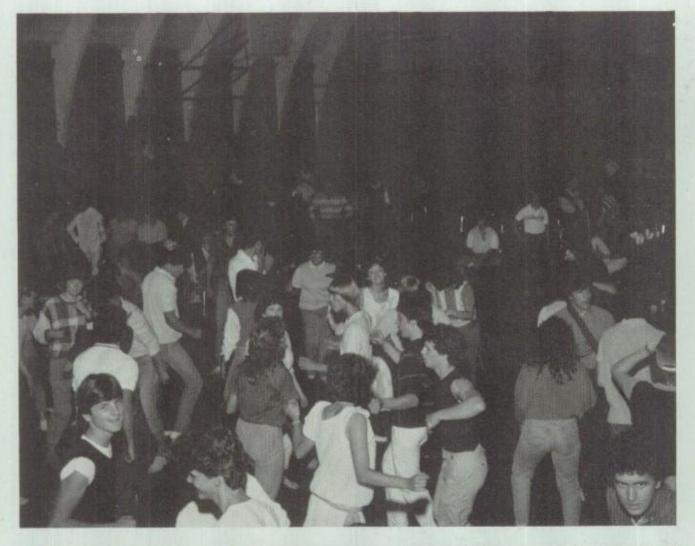


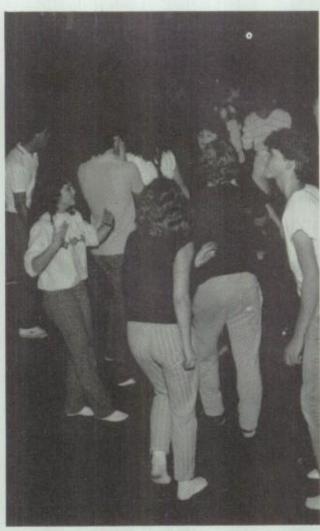






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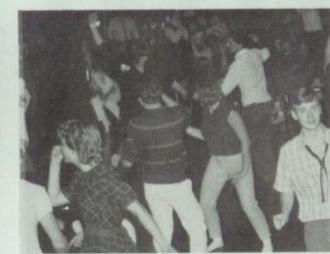
















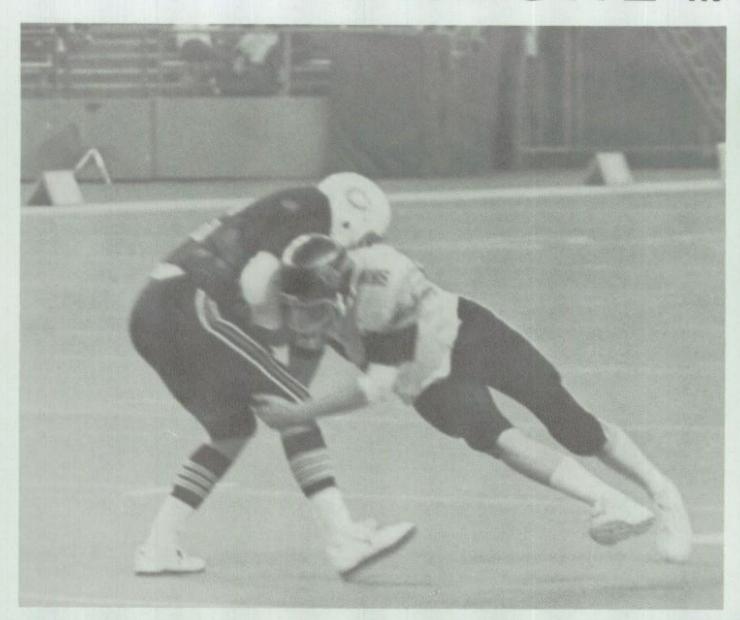




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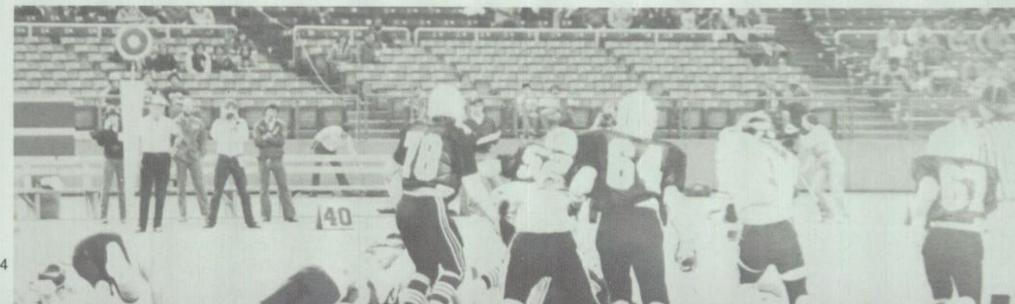
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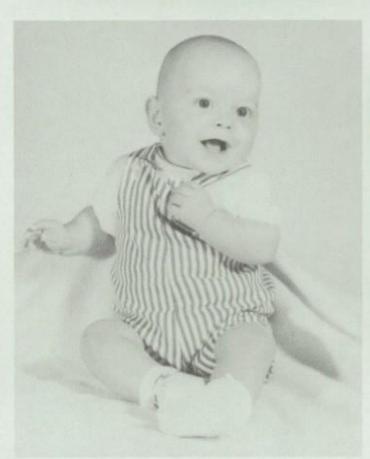




SENIOR BABIES

L to R; Rob Patrick, Christy Littlefeild, Christy Carpenter, Gary Manthey, Feilding Piepereit, Debbie Holz, Cheryl Anderson, and Tammy Dodgen.













YOU'VE COME A LONG WAY BABY

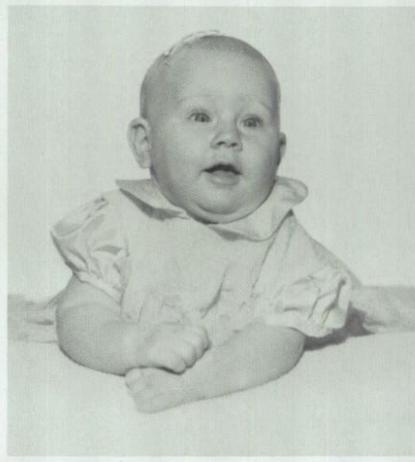








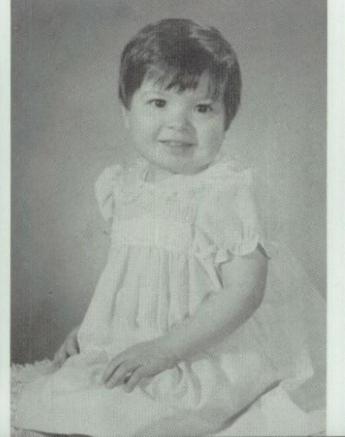




These are members of the class of 1985 between the ages of 6 months and 2 years.

Wish they could still be this cute?

Top L. to R; Tracy Walls, Kim Calman, Theresa Bertrand, Lori Stromer, Jodie Otter, Lisa Garman, Melissa Gaytan, Cami Muenscher.





YEARBOOK STAFF



L to R; Brian Fox, Matt O'Neill, Eric Lukes, Dean Norris, Vince DeMerice, Middle row L to R; Tami Seholm, Lisa Pererson, Theresa Bertrand, Darlene Jarvis, Sitting L to R; Melissa Gayton, Lori Stromer, Rebecca Zander, Nikki Curry. Not pictured, Christine Ross, Marc Merrick.

Theresa Bertrand



The 1985 Yearbook has been a great challenge to the 84-85 Yearbook staff. At the beginning of the year the staff had a few problems but they were all ironed out during the semester.

I would like to thank all the photographers and our Darkroom managers; Brian Fox, Eric Lukes, Dean Norris, Nikki Curry, Darlene Jarvis, and Leo from Donette Studio.

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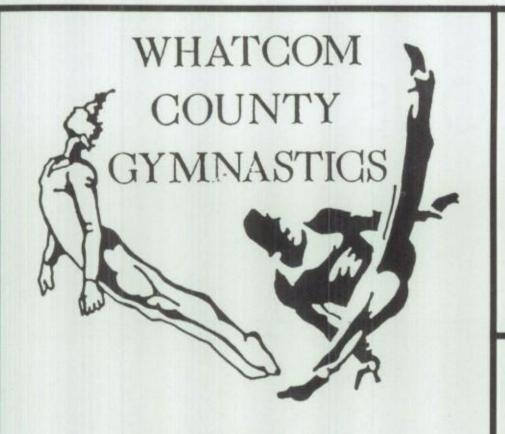
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